

## CHINESE DEFENDERS OF SHANGHAI ATTACK ENEMY

### PRESIDENT LEADS NATION IN HONOR TO ITS FIRST CHIEF

He Addresses Congress On Washington At Joint Session This Noon

Washington, Feb. 22.—(UP)—President and Mrs. Hoover led the nation in looking back down the years today and paying tribute to George Washington on the 200th anniversary of his birth.

The President had a busy day, beginning with an address at noon eulogizing Washington before a joint session of Congress.

Parade and solemn ceremonies mingled in the program, which officially inaugurated the nation-wide bicentennial celebration. Walter Damrosch, famous orchestra conductor, led 5,000 persons singing on the Capitol grounds. The President gave the signal starting this great salute to "The Father of His Country."

The massed Army and Navy bands, led by John Philip Sousa, accompanied the chorals. The music was broadcast throughout the country.

After luncheon at the White House, the President and Mrs. Hoover's schedule included a motor trip to Mount Vernon, where the President laid a wreath on Washington's tomb. On the way, they reviewed a parade at Alexandria, Va., just across the Potomac from Washington.

The "Bicentennial Ball" at the

### Farewell Address

Printed 5 Days Later—

Chicago, Feb. 22.—(AP)—If George Washington delivered the farewell address to his soldiers today you would read about it at dinner time tonight in the paper or even sooner perhaps.

But the address he gave November 2, 1793, was not printed in the New York Morning Post until five days later, November 7. A copy of the paper containing the complete text is a cherished possession of William Houser Gray, retired capitalist.

Gray, who is 85, has had it 64 years. He received it from his grandfather, Amos Gray, whose father, James Gray, was a Colonel in the Army of the Revolution.

Mayflower this evening will not be attended by Mr. and Mrs. Hoover. However, a brilliant gathering of socially prominent persons from practically every state in the union was expected. The guests were requested to dress in colonial costumes.

Defended Washington

President Hoover defended Washington today against those who would make him too "human," and called on the nation to draw inspiration from the nation's first chief. "The man of human liberty," as a founder of human liberty and as a builder of a system of national life," Mr. Hoover spoke in the rostrum of the Capitol to a joint session of Congress on the bicentennial anniversary of the birth of the nation's first Chief Executive. His speech was a straight-forward eulogy of Washington, whom, he said substantially, needed no canonizing yet should not be painted with too many human frailties.

Mr. Hoover said he had little "patience with those who undertake the irrational humanizing" of Washington.

As a mirror his own writings do him indifferent justice," Mr. Hoover said, "while the writing of others are clouded by their awe or are obscured by their venom."

Know He Was Human

The President spoke warmly of the "human side" of his predecessor. He said: "We need not attempt at canonization of George Washington. We know he was human... and yet we know that he never lost faith in our people."

It was then that he showed impatience as he flayed the recent tendency toward "irrational humanizing," as he said.

"I had, indeed, the fine qualities of friendliness, of sociableness, of humanness, of simple hospitality; but we have no need to lower our vision from his unique qualities" (Continued on Page 7)

### Two Die In Flames Result Of Crash

Chicago, Feb. 22.—(UP)—Spurting gasoline from the tank of a truck which collided with a street car caught fire, burning two persons to death and severely injuring six others.

The blazing gasoline turned the front platform of the street car into a death trap. Motorman Walter Paul, 64, and Bernardine Walters, 22, a passenger, burned to death before rescuers could reach them.

The others injured were burned by the flaming liquid and bruised by the collision jolt.

### MRS. ENOCH SELF PASSED AWAY AT HOME THIS MORN

Funeral Service To Be Held at the Christian Church Wednesday

Mrs. Nancy Lorella Paddock Self, wife of Francis Enoch Self and a resident of Dixon for more than 30 years, passed away at her home this morning. She was born in Taylor township, Ogle county, February 13, 1857, and was united in marriage to Francis Enoch Self, April 31, 1878. Mrs. Self was aged 75 years and nine days. She leaves to mourn her passing her husband and six children: Grafton of Twin Falls, Idaho; Charles of Palo Alto, Cal.; Roy of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Frank Merriman of Buhl, Idaho; Mrs. Clinton Emmert and Mrs. Lloyd Emmert of Dixon, fourteen grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Mrs. Self was a faithful and devoted member of the Christian church of Dixon.

The funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 from the home, 1009 Highland avenue, and at 2 o'clock from the Christian church, with burial in the Washington Grove cemetery, four miles north of Ashton.

Nancy Lorella Paddock was the youngest and the last of the family of ten children of Thomas and Nancy Paddock one of the pioneers of Ogle county. They came to LaFayette township in 1837 from Vigo county, Indiana, arriving before a land office existed. Mr. Paddock was the first supervisor of LaFayette township, Ogle county. He was elected in 1850 and again in 1876. He did much to protect the poor settlers and preserve the peace in troublesome times when the Banditti of the Prairie held sway in Rock River Valley. She was a pillar in the Christian church at Washington Grove and was highly honored for his Christian character and deeds of benevolence. He was also influential in the establishment of publishing houses and educational institutions.

### Polo Boy Shot In Eye By Companion

Howard Elliott, 14-year-old Polo high school sophomore, is a patient at the Dixon public hospital where he was taken about noon yesterday, following an unusual accident while on his way home after attending Sunday school. A playmate accosted Elliott on the street and remarking, "Guess I'll shoot you," shot a BB shot from a sling shot which struck the victim in the right eye.

This afternoon, the attending physician stated that hope was entertained for the saving of the eye, but that there was every indication that there would be some impairment of the vision.

### Ogle Centenarian Died Last Evening

Oregon, Ill., Feb. 22.—(AP)—Mrs. Mary McFarren, who was 100 last September 16, died here last night. She was born in Pennsylvania. As a bride she traveled in a covered wagon to Kansas with J. R. McFarren. Her death broke a family chain of five generations.

### WEATHER

THE ONLY EQUIPMENT THAT THE STORY-TELLING FISHERMAN NEEDS IS A GOOD LINE



MONDAY, FEB. 22, 1932

By The Associated Press

Chicago and vicinity — Fair and somewhat colder, with lowest temperature about 16 to 20 tonight; Tuesday increasing cloudiness with slightly warmer in afternoon; moderate northwest winds.

Illinois—Generally fair, somewhat colder in south and east portions tonight; Tuesday increasing cloudiness, somewhat warmer in afternoon in north portion.

Wisconsin—Fair, slightly colder in extreme east portion tonight; Tuesday increasing cloudiness, with slowly rising temperature.

Iowa—Partly cloudy, not so cold in northwest portion tonight; Tuesday mostly cloudy and somewhat warmer.

### THREE PLACES IN HARMON AND DIXON RAIDED SATURDAY

Four Men Arrested By Officers Held To The Next Grand Jury

Deputies from the local sheriff's office and federal prohibition officers visited three places Saturday night, the most important of which were in the village of Harmon where two raids were made and three men arrested. While one group entered the garage building owned by John Long, victim of a number of previous raids, another set of officers stepped into the building occupied by Dennis D. Considine, formerly of Dixon.

At the Long garage building, a stampede occurred when about 30 alleged patrons broke for fresh air when the identity of the officers became known. One of the doors was almost torn from the hinges as the occupants made a sudden break for liberty. It was reported George Long, who claimed to be proprietor of the soft drink parlor and the owner of the building, and John Long were brought to the county jail in Dixon. Later the other group of officers arrived with Considine and all were released under bonds of \$1,000 each when they waived preliminary examination before Police Magistrate A. E. Simonson and were held to the grand jury.

One of the group of deputies and federal prohibition officers visited the Robert Jones lunch room east of the city on the River road following the Harmon trip. Jones was arrested and taken to the county jail where he furnished bond of \$1,000 after waiting preliminary examination and was held to the grand jury.

Walter Boos, whose home on Broadway street was the scene of a raid by the sheriff's force two weeks ago, as arrested Saturday night on a bench warrant charging possession and sale of intoxicating liquor. Boos was unable to furnish bond in the sum of \$3,000 and was lodged in the county jail. He furnished bail this morning and was released.

### Fruin Is Candidate For Alternate Del.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 22.—(UP)—With the deadline for filing petitions of candidacy for state offices set for midnight tonight Secretary of State William J. Stratton was prepared to keep his office open until 12 o'clock tonight even though other state departments are closed in observance of George Washington's birthday.

Several hundred petitions for various offices were expected to be filed during the day to swell the total number of petitions which already has passed the 1200 mark. Petitions of candidacy filed over the week end and announced today included:

Delegate to National Convention Twelfth District—Democrat—W. H. Hefferan, Rockford.

Thirteenth District—Republican—Ralph N. Eaton, Mt. Carroll; Democrat—Frank T. Sheehan, Galena; Alternate—Denn. G. Fruin, Dixon.

### BABY DIES IN CRASH

Chicago, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Jackie Demos, 2, Kankakee, died in Westlake hospital today of injuries he suffered a few hours earlier when an auto driven by his mother, Mrs. Mildred Brazier, crashed into an Illinois Central abutment in suburban Westchester. The mother suffered minor bruises. They were returning home after visiting friends in River Grove.

### PLEADS BANKRUPTCY

Chicago, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Edward Fitzgerald of LaSalle, Ill., has filed through counsel a petition for voluntary bankruptcy, listing liabilities of \$64,759 and assets of \$39,749.

### United Action for Employment

This newspaper is one of 900 American daily newspapers throughout the United States that have volunteered to carry a box like this every day in cooperation with the United Action for Employment campaign now being carried on all over the country.

While this campaign is sponsored by the American Legion, the Association of National Advertisers, the American Federation of Labor, and the Legion Auxiliary, these organizations do not claim it as their campaign. They are simply offering a rallying point so that all other forward looking associations and individuals may join in a united effort to secure employment for a million fellow Americans now unemployed. So many fraternal, civic, church, patriotic and other organizations have joined the movement that more than twenty million people are now represented.

The President of the United States has expressed the hope

### VALLEY FORGE



### Some Oddities In Wire News Today From Various Parts

#### HE FAILED TO ANSWER

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 22.—(AP)—A tattooed beggar leaned against a downtown building, propped up by a crutch.

Many pedestrians passed, glanced at the figure and passed on. "Probably drunk," one man muttered.

Lon Higdon, a fruit peddler, however recognized the figure as a friend, Mike Healy.

"Hello, Mike," he called. Healy didn't answer. He was dead.

#### OFFICER MISTAKEN

St. Louis, Feb. 22.—(UP)—To Probationary Patrolman Roland A. Farnsworth it looked like amateur burglars had accomplished an awkward, but successful job in entering the Abeln Brothers tobacco store, today.

Although the door was still locked, a large hole indicated to him that a "Jimmy" had been used on the door. He gave the alarm. Two police squads with riot guns responded. Officers guarded all exits while the door was broken completely down.

Investigating police found a possum crunching tobacco leaves. The animal had gnawed a hole in the door.

#### HE KEPT HIS BEARD

Pittsburgh, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Joe Hensel, that fellow still has his long beard, but he doesn't deserve it.

Joe promised Magistrate Rothenburg a week ago that if ever he misbehaved again—Joe has a weakness for snifters—he would sacrifice his beard. He forgot and misbehaved. Entering court yesterday he feared the worst, and hugged his beard to his breast like a mother would a newborn babe. But Magistrate Rothenburg was away. An-

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### NAVY'S DIRIGIBLE "AKRON" DAMAGED BY SEVERE WIND

Whipped From Control Of Ground Crew As Congressmen Watch

Lakehurst, N. J., Feb. 22.—(UP)—The Navy's new dirigible, Akron, was seriously damaged in a freakish accident today that will keep her on the ground for weeks, perhaps months.

A sudden increase in wind velocity caught the mammoth craft as she was being walked out of her hangar, jerked her out of the control of the ground crew, and slammed her afterward violently against the ground.

A congressional committee investigating charges that the Akron was unworthy and incapable of fulfilling her specifications, was on the

### Illinois Boy May By Country's Giant

Alton, Ill., Feb. 22.—(UP)—Today was Robert Wadlow's birthday as well as George Washington's.

Fourteen years ago Robert was born—a healthy nine pound baby. He has grown so fast since however that today he is seven feet five inches in height and weighs 302 pounds. A year ago today he was an inch less in height and weighed 282 pounds.

Robert will become the giant of his country if he keeps on growing, and his mother and father are opposed to any tinkering with the pituitary gland which might "stunt" his size.

The big boy is a freshman in high school, plays basketball, does well in his studies, and reads an average of 300 books a year.

field and saw the accident. The Akron was being taken from her hangar to take the Congressmen on an inspection flight.

Damage was largely confined to the lower stabilizing fin and the auxiliary control room it contained, both were smashed. A large section of the under covering was ripped. It was feared the internal structure was strained and would need a thorough going over.

Damage Thought High

No estimate of damage was immediately available, but it was believed high.

Lieutenant C. E. Bolster and two enlisted men were on the after bridge. They were thrown to the ground. Their injuries were not serious.

The Akron's officers and the congressional committee headed by Representative James V. McClintic, (Okla.) had been at the hangar since dawn waiting for better visibility and a clearing of threatening skies. Commander Rosendahl announced that under no circumstances would he take the dirigible out until it was perfectly safe.

At 10 o'clock the skies had cleared and an easy 14 mile wind was blowing across the field. Rosendahl or-

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### STRANGE MURDER AND SUICIDE IN ROOMING ABODE

Detectives Delve In A Weird Atmosphere Of Astrology

Chicago, Feb. 22.—(UP)—Detectives today delved in a weird atmosphere of astrology for some clue to the motive of what appeared to be a strange murder and suicide.

In the gas filled kitchen of an apartment the walls of which were lined with hundreds of occult works, the body of Mrs. Edith Natalie Adams, 48, amateur student of astrology, was found.

"I killed Jerry Perrault two days ago and concealed his body beneath the bed on the third floor."

Perrault, 45, a roomer, was found to have been shot.

The bed under which the body was found had been slept in by another roomer, who was unaware of the macabre presence or the significance of the words "Keep lights away. Keep out of here." Which had been scrawled in chalk on the bedroom door.

Police said Mrs. Adams was a narcotic addict and said they suspected Perrault of supplying her with drugs.

The roomer under whose bed Perrault's body was found identified himself as James Bennett, 61, former of Meadville, Pa. He said he met Mrs. Adams there in 1911 and that they had lived together since 1913.

Police quoted Bennett as admitting he deserted a wife and three children in Allentown, Pa., in 1910.

### Warrants Follow Thefts From Auto

Occupants of two cars were badly shaken up at 11 o'clock Saturday night in a head on collision which took place on the Lincoln Highway at the Gap Grove corners. George A. Jews of Lincoln, Neb., was driving east and C. J. Sweet of Sterling, west bound when the two cars crashed with considerable force. Wheels were torn off both cars and the occupants were badly damaged but the occupants escaped serious injury.

A car owned by a resident of LaFayette township, Ogle county, skidded and turned over on state highway route 70 in Reynolds township Saturday night badly damaging the machine, but the occupants escaped with only minor injuries. While the occupants went to Rochelle for a wrecker, another car stopped and removed parts of the wrecked machine. One of these, said to be a resident of Mt. Morris was arrested this morning and taken to the county jail at Oregon, where he is said to have admitted his part of the theft.

The owner of the wrecked car came to Dixon this afternoon to secure warrants for the thieves.

### Will Rogers Fears We May Land Under A Japanese Mandate

Oklahoma City, Feb. 22.—(UP)—Will Rogers is tired of interviewing presidential candidates and globe trotting.

"I want to get a good horse, ride him back of some hill where I can sit down and just think about the last three months all by myself. Of course I don't want the horse to run away," he said.

The cowboy humorist was here today to bid Gov. "Alfalfa Bill" Murray Godspeed on his opening campaign trip. He talked things over with Bill last night.

Bringing his around-the-world trip to an end, Rogers leaves tomorrow for California.

"I've learned this much," he said. "These candidates for President better stop worrying about what is going to happen next November and start thinking about eating breakfast under a Japanese mandate."

### Jessie M. Hubbard Of Nelson Is Dead

Mrs. Jessie M. Hubbard passed away Sunday morning at her home west of Dixon in Nelson township, where she had spent her entire life time. Death took place at 4 o'clock Sunday morning ending an illness of one week's duration. She is survived by one sister, Miss Amy and a brother William at home.

Funeral services will be conducted from the home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. Franklin Young pastor of the Presbyterian church officiating and with interment in Rockwood cemetery in Palmyra township.

### MANUFACTURERS PROTEST

Chicago, Feb. 22.—(AP)—The Illinois Manufacturers' Association, declaring eastern manufacturers have a monopoly on supplies purchased by the government for the Panama Canal, has filed a protest with the Appropriations committee of the House of Representatives. Annual purchases are estimated at \$25,000,000.

Germany, the United States and France consume more than half of the total commercial fertilizer produced.

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### TAKE EVERYTHING JAPS CAN OFFER; PLAN LONG FIGHT

Japs Are Dismayed By the Unexpected Resistance They Encountered

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

China's defending army took all the punishment the Japanese could hand out today and held its own against the powerful force trying to capture the town of Kiangwan.

Dismayed by the unexpected resistance, the Japanese command withdrew a part of its forces at Hongkew and sent the men in against Kiangwan. Immediately Chinese artillery behind the Chapel front bombarded Hongkew.

Far into the night the guns were still blazing and neither side had gained any material advance.

In Tokyo, where the present government was retained in office by an unexpectedly large majority in Saturday's general election, the War Office said there was no present intention of sending another expeditionary force to Shanghai. Responsible officials said they thought it might take ten days to drive the Chinese back, but the intention was to do it with the force already in China.

A few shells fell among American infantry on patrol along the Soochow creek in the International Settlement, but there were no casualties.

Word from Loyang, temporary seat

### Charges Japs With Ruthless Slaughter—

Shanghai, China, Feb. 22.—(AP)—T. O. Thackrey, Managing Editor of the American-owned Shanghai Evening Post-Mercury, wrote under his own signature in today's edition of that newspaper an article charging Japanese soldiers with the killing of Chinese peasants by the wholesale.

Mr. Thackrey said he reached the Kiangwan International Race Club without being observed by the Japanese quartered there and watched Japanese officers putting men, women and children to the sword.

He told also how he had seen a farmer boy flung face down on the ground and shot to death by Japanese officers.

of the Chinese government, said the authorities were preparing for a fight with Japan which would last a year.

### CHINESE ADVANCE

Shanghai, Tuesday, Feb. 23.—(AP)—Chinese headquarters issued a bulletin early this morning declaring their army was advancing rapidly along the whole front from Chapel to Woosung, driving back the Japanese despite the arrival of enemy reinforcements.

In the Kiangwan sector, where the fighting of the last two days has been very heavy, the communique said the Chinese force withdrew drawing the Japanese attack after it.

When the Japanese concentrated on the Chinese right flank, the left and center swung around to surround the enemy on three sides, leaving only a narrow line of retreat through which the Japanese fell back, covering their withdrawal with rifle and machine gun fire.

The Chinese pressed their advantage, following closely, and this morning's communique said the Chinese intended to push the Japanese back to the edge of the International Settlement.

So bitter was the Chinese resistance at Kiangwan that the Japanese were obliged to draw reinforcements from the Hongkew sector.

As soon as the Chinese gunners found that Hongkew had been weakened they sent over a wave of infantry, but the Japanese drove them off.

The heavy guns behind the Chinese front went into action, pouring six-inch shells into the entire Hongkew area.

One shell wrecked the fire headquarters. Another damaged a Japanese school close to the headquarters. Others crashed close to the Japanese Consulate and some fell into the Whangpoo river near the Japanese flagship Idzumo, tied up at a pier.

### TOKYO ANXIOUS.

Tokyo, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Considerable anxiety was expressed in authoritative civilian in Tokyo tonight over press dispatches from Shanghai indicating that Lieutenant General Kenichi Ueda's offensive was being resisted stubbornly by the Chinese and that the Japanese were meeting some reverses.

The War Office remained outwardly calm, however. It insisted confirmation of the reported reverses was lacking, and that besides, the Japanese advance must be expected to be slow because the grounds over-

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## TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

## Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Feb. 22—(AP)—Hogs 45-000, including 18,000 direct, active, 10 @20 higher, 170-210 lbs. 4.20@4.30; top 4.35; 220-250 lbs. 4.05@4.25; 250-330 lbs. 3.90@4.05; 140-160 lbs. 3.90@4.20; pigs 3.00@3.50; packing sows 3.45 @3.80; light light, good and choice 140-160 lbs. 3.90@4.25; light weight 160-200 lbs. 4.15@4.35; medium weights 200-250 lbs. 4.40@4.35; heavy weight 250-350 lbs. 3.80@4.10; packing sows medium and good 275-500 lbs. 3.35@3.65; pigs, good and choice 100-130 lbs. 3.00@3.75.

Cattle 14,000; calves 2000; weighty steers moderately active, mostly steady to strong on shipper account; early top 8.40; yearlings and light steers rather slow steady; fat steers, bulls and vealers about steady; slaughter cattle and vealers, steers, good and choice 600-900 lbs. 7.00@7.50; 900-1100 lbs. 7.00@9.50; 1100-1300 lbs. 7.25@9.50; 1300-1500 lbs. 7.25@9.50; common and medium 600-1300 lbs. 4.00@7.25; heifers, good and choice 550-850 lbs. 5.50@7.50; common and medium 3.75@5.00; cows, good and choice 3.50@5.00; common and medium 2.75@3.75; low cutter and cutter 1.50@2.75; bulls (yearlings excluded) good and choice (beef) 3.00@3.75; cutter to medium 2.25@3.15; vealers (milk fed) good and choice 6.50@8.00; medium 5.50@6.50; cull and common 3.50@5.50; stocker and feeder cattle, steers, good and choice 500-1050 lbs. 4.50@5.50; common and medium 3.25@4.50.

Sheep 18,000; most interests bidding 25 lower; few sales nearly steady with last week's close; good lambs 6.25 to small killers; packers 6.25 down; asking upward to 6.85 and better; lambs 90 lbs down, good and choice 6.00@6.85; medium 5.00@6.00; 91-100 lbs medium to choice 5.00@6.75; all weights, common to cull 5.00@7.50; good and choice 5.00@5.80.

Official estimated receipts tomorrow: cattle 6000; hogs 26,000; sheep 14,000.

## Wall Street

## WALL STREET BRIEFS

New York, Feb. 22—The principal securities and commodities markets in this city and most of the principal markets throughout the country were closed today in commemoration of George Washington's Birthday.

About 15 additional applications for loans from the new Railroad Credit Corp. are said to have been filed. These loans are sought for the purpose of meeting forthcoming loan maturities.

To help the nation-wide campaign against hoarding, many savings banks of this city have raised the maximum limit previously set on single deposits they would accept. Several banks which had placed \$1000 as the largest individual deposit acceptable have advanced the figure to \$7500. Precautions have been tightened, however, to prevent deposit of regular commercial money in mutual banks.

The outstanding \$3,200,000 first mortgage 15-year 6 per cent sinking fund gold bonds due April, 1940, of Cuyamel Fruit Co., have been called for redemption on April 11 next at 104 1/2 with interest. The company is a subsidiary of United Fruit.

Dow Jones reports that Republic Steel Corp. operations this week will be at 25 per cent of capacity against 35 per cent last week.

The New York Cotton Exchange membership of George A. Garrett has been sold for \$14,500 to Herman J. Phillips.

## Local Markets

## DIXON MILK PRICE

From Feb. 1 until further notice the Borden Company will pay \$1.10 per cwt. for milk testing four per cent butter fat, direct ratio.

## Lodge News

## Essay Contest Of

## V. F. W. Announced

Kansas City, Mo. — Prizes valued at approximately \$1,200 have been announced in the essay contest conducted under the auspices of the national Americanization committee of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States. Four subjects have been selected by the committee and contributors must confine their essays to these fields. The subject of the first contest must answer the question, "What is the best method of curbing crime in our political, commercial and private life?" Moral standards, non-sectarian teachings in the schools are to be considered. The winning essay must deal with the influence of the present system of penal servitude, the public press, the theater as they tend to influence the crime situation.

The second subject is, "To what particular cause and effect and why does it seem in this day there is greater appreciation for Washington as the founder, the defender and the upholder of the Republic than ever before?" The subject for the third essay asks, "For what patriotic cause may the V. F. W. attempt to repeat the success of the Star Spangled Banner campaign?" The subject of the fourth is, "What is the original or popular conception of Columbus, when and where was it conceived?"

The contests are open to any American citizen of any age or sex. The winning essay must consist of not more than 1,000 words and must be submitted in the handwriting of the contestant. No typewritten essay will be considered. Essays must be written on one side of the paper only. The contest closes, April 27, 1932. In the award of prizes the judges will consider the age of the author, originality of theme, handwriting, spelling, neatness and aptness.

## TO ADDRESS KIWANIS

Rev. Gilbert Stansell, pastor of the First Methodist church, will deliver the annual Washington Birthday address before the members of the Kiwanis Club at the regular weekly meeting of the organization Tuesday noon in the parlors of the Christian church.

## GYROS MEET TONIGHT

The weekly meeting of the Dixon GYRO Club will be held this evening at 6:30 at the Nachusa Tavern.

## ELKS MEET THIS EVE

The regular meeting of Dixon Lodge No. 779, B. P. O. Elks will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the club house. A special Washington's birthday program has been arranged and a social session will follow the business meeting.

## Local Briefs

—You can't afford to be without The Telegraph's Accident Insurance Policy. \$1.25 pays the premium for 1 year on a \$1,000 policy.

Attorney Robert Warner spent the week end visiting in Chicago. Gordon Roundy, Chicago, is spending a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Roundy.

Editor and Mrs. Fred E. Lux of Rochelle, spent Saturday evening visiting at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lux.

John Cahill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Cahill, and a number of college mates, motored from South Bend, Ind., to Dixon to spend the week end with their respective parents, the boys living in different towns along the route from South Bend.

Madame Moss, mother of Dr. Z. W. Moss, has been confined to her bed with an attack of rheumatism for several days.

Mrs. Will Gilbert is visiting in Chicago.

Mrs. Earl J. Helms of Sterling was a Dixon visitor this morning. George Beier is ill at his home with an attack of the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jetter of Springfield spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Addie Eastman, the latter's mother.

Mrs. M. Mowrey and daughter, Marie of Moline visited over Sunday at the Sam Pelton home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Shepherd and children of Chicago spent the week end at the home of her mother, Mrs. Warren Brashaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Johnson, of Lee have been visiting relatives and friends in Sycamore.

John Hamill of Ashton was a Dixon business caller today.

Charles Long of Harmon visited Dixon friends Sunday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Sarah Winters, who has been ill for several weeks, is reported to be improved.

Miss Elizabeth Bangs of Moline was here visiting relatives over the week end.

Misses Pansy and Roberta Wright of Enaton, Iowa, were visiting friends in Amboy and South Dixon last week, returning to their home on Sunday, accompanied by their aunt, Mrs. Charles Miller of South Dixon, who will visit a few weeks in Iowa.

George Remmers of near Oregon transacted business here Saturday afternoon.

Frank Beede of Palmyra was in Dixon Saturday.

Miss Frances Smith of Walnut was a Dixon caller Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kerz have moved from Sterling to Dixon.

Carl Stephan of Ashton was a Dixon business visitor this morning.

Frank Buckley went to Rockford this afternoon on business.

Judge William Leech and wife and Sheriff Fred Richardson and wife will go to Compton this evening to attend a Washington birthday program sponsored by the Compton Masonic lodge.

Leo Miller went to Rockford this afternoon on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gorton, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Gorton and Mrs. Burton Gorton, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heaton, all of Academy South Dakota, arrived in Dixon today to visit relatives, especially L. O. Gorton, brother of the first two men, who is a patient in the Dixon hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cornelius and friends motored to Rockford Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. McNichols attended the play "The Grand Hotel" in Chicago Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reuf spent Sunday visiting with Dixon relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Rorer here left for a several weeks trip through the west and in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dana spent Sunday in Pekin and Peoria.

Paul Newcomer spent Sunday with his parents in Dixon, returning to his duties with the Walgreen Drug Co. in Chicago Sunday evening.

Mrs. Jesse Gardner and daughter, Mrs. Ralph Gonderman went to Chicago where they spent Saturday and today visiting Mrs. Gardner's sister from Texas who is visiting in the city.

Miss Isabelle Lowry was one of the passengers to Chicago over the week end.

Floyd Ingraham of Chicago spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. George Ingraham and sisters, Mrs. Florence Blake and Miss Franc Ingraham.

## Some Oddities In Wire News Today From Various Parts

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other magistrates, not knowing about the beard matter, sent Joe to jail for 30 days—and was Joe happy! Thirty days—poof, they are soon gone.

A beard is a life work.

## NAVY'S DIRIGIBLE "AKRON" DAMAGED BY SEVERE WIND

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dered the Akron attached to the portable mooring stub.

The hangar doors were thrown open and her nose attached to the stub and her tail held down by the ground crew of 100, the Akron was inched out onto the field.

Wind increased

She was barely clear when the wind increased in an instant to 32 miles an hour. The Akron strained and tugged on the mooring ropes. Then the steel cable that held them snapped, her tail swung around in a half circle, then bounced against the ground.

After a furious five-minute fight, the Akron's crew got new lines aboard and turned her around, nose to the wind. In this position she remained for several hours until the wind died down enough to allow her being walked back into the hangar.

The congressional committee was plainly disappointed at the near tragic end of their investigation. Today's flight was to have made the final chapter of their report. The Akron was to have gone through speed and altitude tests for their benefit.

Representative McClintic was non-committal. He said his committee might be forced to turn in an incomplete report of its findings.

The Oklahoma Congressman did make it clear, however, that members of his committee are exhibiting no tendency to criticize anyone for the accident, and that none of them considers it more than an unfortunate incident.

Commander Philip Seymour, in charge of the air station, ordered all photographs, including newspapers, which were made of the Akron after the accident, seized and impounded. These pictures may be released later in the day, he said.

Lieutenant Commander Rosendahl inspected the damage and said it would be sometime before the Akron could fly again. The broken fin will have to be entirely rebuilt and recovered. The scheduled flight of the Akron to the Pacific maneuvers will have to be cancelled, he said.

IT'S SECOND MISHAP

Lakehurst, N. J., Feb. 22—(AP)—Today's accident was the second mishap to occur to the Navy's giant of the air, the cruiser Akron.

On October 19, 1931, while she was being hauled into the hangar after a flight, a fin atop the body scraped against the top of the doorway. While the fin itself was apparently not damaged, the strain on the guy ropes with which it was anchored tore the fabric in several places.

Window At Ward's Patriotic Motif

Have you seen the display commemorating the Bicentennial Anniversary of the birth of George Washington, in the window of the Montgomery Ward & Co., store at Galena Avenue and E. River street?

This is an exceptionally fine piece of work and one of which Mr. Grigie, the store manager, as well as the entire Ward organization and all the residents of this community might well be proud.

The display occupies a comparatively small space and contains only a few pieces, but the moment you see it you are impressed with its richness, directness and perfect good taste. In it you see the Stars and Stripes unfurled beside an unusually fine oil-on-velour portrait reproduction of George Washington while in the foreground is a miniature reproduction of the Washington Monument, the original of which towers above all surrounding edifices in Washington, D. C. A small, neatly lettered card bears the inscription—"George Washington Bicentennial 1732-1932"—that is all—but what finer tribute could be imagined?

Mr. Grigie tells us that this display appears in each of Montgomery Ward's more than 500 stores, and that both the oil-on-velour portrait and the monument miniature were produced in Ward's own display plant at Chicago.

The Washington window will be in evidence from time to time during the entire Bicentennial Celebration. We suggest that you be sure to see this display.—Ads.

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20-YEAR BRIDGE STILL SAFE BOONVILLE, Mo. —(UP)—The only covered bridge still in use in Missouri was built with mortised joints and wooden pins in 1846. It was intended "to last just 20 years," but still is in service, although heavy trucks can not pass over the structure with safety.

## TAKE EVERYTHING JAPS CAN OFFER; PLAN LONG FIGHT

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which it was being fought is cut with many canals, making progress difficult.

It also quoted a report from the Japanese Minister to China, Mamoru Shigemitsu, saying that the conquest of the 19th Army would probably require a week or ten days from the beginning of the drive on February 20. Officials said, however, that there was no present intention of sending reinforcements to Shanghai.

YANKS FIRED UPON

Shanghai, Feb. 22—(AP)—Men of the 31st United States Infantry, on patrol along Soochow creek, were fired on today as they strengthened their barbed wire defense, but there were no casualties.

Chinese headquarters, after a complaint had been filed, explained that the Americans were wearing blue uniforms and the Chinese soldiers mistook them for Japanese bluejackets.

The 31st United States Infantry was transferred from Manila on such short notice that there was no time to provide the men with clothing suitable to the Shanghai climate.

Some of them have been wearing the blue dress uniform on duty instead of the light cotton drill khaki used in the tropics.

During tonight's artillery fire a stray shell struck the American Seventh Day Adventists Mission hospital on the Chupri border. The building was unoccupied, for the mission authorities had left with 160 patients a few days ago.

The property is under the direction of Dr. H. W. Miller, who until 1927 was Director of the Adventist Hospital in Washington, D. C.

By H. R. EKINS, United Press Staff Correspondent. (Copyright, 1932, by United Press.)

Shanghai, Feb. 22—(UP)—Chinese artillery began a heavy bombardment of the Japanese positions in Hongkew, just outside the International Settlement tonight.

At 8:45 P. M. the Chinese were pumping the heaviest shells yet fire into the area. The reverberations were terrific and foreigners in the settlement were more alarmed than at any time in the last two weeks.

Dozens of foreigners telephoned the United Press offices, asking whether the battle was inside the Settlement.

Simultaneously with the artillery attack, Chinese infantry attacked the Japanese positions on the Kiangwan road, which runs alongside Hongkew park and the rifle range just to the north of the Settlement.

The Japanese were using machine guns and rifles to maintain their positions.

Shell Jap Consulate

While the Chinese were attacking in Hongkew, the Japanese continued their encircling drive on the Kiangwan sector, driving the Chinese to the west and south.

At 10:50 P. M. a Chinese eight-inch gun mounted on a railway armored car near the North Station opened fire on the Japanese Consulate General, in the center of the settlement on the river front, around the corner from the Astor House hotel.

The heavy gun caused the worst reverberations the Settlement has yet felt. Shells passed over the Consulate, over Admiral Kikisaburo Nomura's flagship, alongside the Consulate, and over other foreign warships nearby. None was hit.

At 11 P. M. Chinese shells had set numerous fires directly adjoining the Settlement. One was in a block of buildings on the Jukong road, near the North Station, and another in the Dixwell road police station, which had been evacuated previously.

Another shell wounded six Japanese children in Hongkew.

Japanese casualties in Monday's fighting were announced officially tonight at more than 300. The Chinese casualties were estimated unofficially at 2,500.

A United Press survey showed 1,336 Chinese soldiers under treatment in hospitals of the Settlement and 1,200 wounded Chinese civilians.

Three Japanese brigades moved to encircle Tazang and Chenju villages earlier today after hand-to-hand fighting and terrific artillery fire had left Kiangwan village isolated as an island full of Chinese snipers entirely surrounded by Japanese.

The encircling movement got underway with heavy fighting on the third day of the Nippone effort to dislodge the stubborn yellow men. The latter are entrenched behind sand bags, in swamp land, in "fox holes" and land so mined that explosives would annihilate squads of advancing Japanese.

The Japanese line was swinging down as a huge "whip cracker," the end of the line at Chapel remaining stationary, the troops near the Woosung end 18 miles away moving rapidly, as possible to the west and south.

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"whiplacker" of Japanese soldiery will envelop hugh forces of Chinese troops, force them back into rear line trenches back of International Settlement, or end in complete rout.

Kiangwan is in the center of the line. Tazang is a few miles directly back of Kiangwan. Chenju is east of Chapel. If Japanese occupy both places they will have formed a half-circle around the Chinese sections of Shanghai.

Gen. Kenkichi Uyeda, commanding the 9th Japanese Division, moved his headquarters to the Kiangwan sector to direct the enveloping movement. The district was infested with hidden machine gun nests. The Japanese were approaching the strongest Chinese defenses.

Japanese infantry was supported by artillery and tanks, while airplanes, despite poor visibility, rained bombs on Chinese troop concentrations.

Heavy fighting was in progress between Kiangwan village and Tazang, just three miles west.

Strike At Line Center

The Japanese apparently concentrated their efforts at breaking the middle of the stubborn line.

Chapel was very noisy and the roar of Chinese field pieces and Japanese trench mortars disturbed the Settlement but there was no attempt to make infantry advances.

Kiangwan village was back of the Japanese first lines as the push westward started, and Chinese snipers who remained hidden in the town, faced certain death.

Among wounded Chinese soldiers brought into the International Settlement were men reported to be wearing identification discs of the 88th Division, one of Chiang Kai-Shek's divisions. The men said they had opposed the Japanese west of Kiangwan yesterday. This was the first indication that the Chinese Generalissimo actually had used his army to reinforce the 19th Route Army, a Cantonese organization.

The Traynor movement was started weeks before Garner became Speaker of the House.

Oklahoma City, Feb. 22—(UP)—Callused, militant William H. (Alfalfa Bill) Murray, Governor of Oklahoma, today was formally before the voters of the nation as the "grass-roots" candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination.

Murray announced his candidacy to newspapermen over steaming cups of his favorite Paraguayan tea.

The Governor asserted he had acted "out of duty to the great middle-class and little man, for no one else seems to care to champion their cause."

"I shall make as active a campaign as my limited time, the arduous duties of the office of Governor of Oklahoma will permit," he said, lounging in his chair at the head of the long dining room table of the Executive Mansion.

Urged By Convention

Saturday the state Democratic convention called upon him to make the race, the first time in history of the state any Oklahoman has campaigned actively for a presidential nomination.

With customary promptitude, the governor acted.

He called newspapermen in without formality and received them in a wrinkled suit, his soft black hat perched on the back of his graying head.

As they sat around the long table, he passed out copies of his 404-word statement, and then led a breezy discussion of his candidacy.

A white-jacketed Negro brought in the tea cups, filled with "yerbe mate," the South American tea which the Governor learned to like

Sen. Wright May Be Auditor Candidate

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 22—(AP)—Primary petitions putting State Senator Harry G. Wright of DeKalb the Custer-for-Governor campaign manager, into the race for Auditor of Public Accounts on the Republican ticket were in circulation here today, in an effort to get the required number of Republican signers before midnight.

This development was regarded here as indicative of the withdrawal of State Auditor Oscar Nelson, who in his last statement regarding his intent to run for re-election said he was waiting until the head of the Republican ticket, Governor Emerson, made known his intention.

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# SOCIETY NEWS

## Calendar of Coming Events

**Monday**  
Chapter AC, Ill. P. E. O.—Mrs. Gordon Overstreet, 520 E. Fellows street.  
Guest Tea Daughters of the American Revolution—Mrs. Willard Thompson, 518 E. Second street.  
Peoria Avenue Reading Club—Mrs. C. B. Morrison, 122 Dement avenue.  
Women of the Moose—Moose hall.

**Tuesday**  
Dixon Chapter DeMolay—Banquet at Masonic Temple.  
Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority—I. N. U. Co. building.  
U. S. W. V. and Auxiliary—G. A. R. Hall.  
Practical Club—Mrs. I. B. Potter, 15 Ottawa avenue.

**Wednesday**  
South Dixon Community Club—Mrs. Avery Livan, Dutch Road.  
O. E. S. School of Instruction—Masonic Temple.  
Dixon Women's Club—Christian Church.  
Wooing Woman's Club—Miss Minnie Zigler.

**Thursday**  
Elks Ladies Day—Banquet at the Elks club in evening, followed by entertainment and cards.  
Presbyterian Guild—Miss Frances Patrick, 314 Peoria avenue.  
W. C. O. F.—K. C. Home.

(Call Mrs. F. E. Heldridge, at No. 5, for Society items.)

## Mr. and Mrs. Blass Celebrated Golden Jubilee Yesterday

On Friday, February 19th, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Blass of 701 North Ottawa avenue attained their golden wedding anniversary. Relatives from Mendota, and the three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Blass, Fred, Leam and their families and Harold, being aware of the fact, planned and carried out a very happy surprise for Mr. and Mrs. Blass, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blass, 319 E. Second street, on Sunday. There were about thirty in the happy group, who arrived to enjoy the delicious dinner served at noon and to extend best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Blass on their golden wedding anniversary.

For twenty-five years Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Blass have resided at 701 North Ottawa avenue, making their home there, after retiring and leaving their farm. They have the esteem of their neighbors and relatives, and all join in the hope that they may celebrate their diamond anniversary.

Flowers of the early springtime, tulips, also carnations graced the rooms at the home, and the attractively appointed dining table where the dinner was served. Afterward a happy social afternoon was spent by everyone. The sons presented their father and mother with a purse of gold and they also received other gifts in memory of the day. As the afternoon shadows lengthened, the relatives were exchanging all wishing Mr. and Mrs. Blass many happy returns of the day.

## Eighty-fourth Birthday Celebrated 19th

Mrs. J. H. Anderson, 321 E. First street celebrated her 84th birthday, Friday, Feb. 19th, with Mrs. C. R. Hunt her step daughter, and the latter's daughter, entertaining for her. The guests included eight of Mrs. Anderson's friends who are members of the Rebekah Lodge, and several other friends. A nice and very happy party was given. Mrs. Anderson and little son of Chicago, were also present. The tables were prettily decorated in pink and green and white, the centerpiece being a beautiful bouquet of lilies. There were three large birthday cakes. Many greeting cards, and gifts were presented to Mrs. Anderson with all good wishes. During the afternoon a picture was taken of Mrs. Anderson and her guests.

## Thirty-third Anniversary Observed

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Franks were happily surprised on their thirty-third wedding anniversary at the home of Mrs. Orville Albright Sunday with a picnic dinner and an oyster supper, their four nieces, being the hostesses with their families, as follows—Miss Edna Whitebread, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schuemacher and family. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cook and little son, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Whitebread and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Albright. Many good wishes for the future were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Franks.

## MR. AND MRS. COOK ENTERTAIN—

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cook entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schuemacher and family.

## REGULAR MEETING

W. C. O. F.—The regular meeting of the W. C. O. F. will be held Thursday evening, Feb. 25th at the K. C. home at 7:30.

## MENU FOR FAMILY

By Mrs. Alexander George  
**HAM FOR DINNER**  
Breakfast  
Grapefruit  
Ready Cooked Corn Cereal  
Soft Cooked Eggs  
Buttered Toast  
Coffee  
Luncheon  
Tomato Soup  
Salted Wafers  
Ginger Cookies  
Apple Sauce

**Dinner**  
Baked Stuffed Ham  
Escalloped Potatoes  
Horseshad Sauce  
Bread  
Butter  
Apple Salad  
Lemon Sauce  
Coffee

**Ginger Cookies**  
1 cup molasses  
1 cup fat  
1 cup sugar  
2 teaspoons soda  
2 teaspoons cinnamon  
1 teaspoon ginger  
1 teaspoon cloves  
1 teaspoon nutmeg  
1-4 teaspoon salt  
3-1/2 cups flour  
Mix molasses, fat and sugar. Boil 1 minute. Cool. Add rest of ingredients. Chill. Break off bits of dough and flatten down 3 inches apart on greased baking pans. Bake 12 minutes in moderate oven.

**Baked Stuffed Ham**  
2-pound slice of ham  
12 whole cloves  
1-2 cup dark brown sugar  
1 teaspoon mustard  
1-2 cup vinegar  
1-2 cup water  
Have ham cut 1 inch thick. Stick with cloves and place in small baking pan. Spread with sugar and mustard and add the vinegar and water. Cover and bake 1-2 hours in moderately slow oven. Baste ham several times and add more vinegar and water if ham cooks dry.

**Horseshad Sauce**  
(For roasts, chops or steaks)  
1-2 cup whipped cream  
3 tablespoons vinegar  
1 teaspoon sugar  
1-4 teaspoon paprika  
1-4 teaspoon dry mustard  
1-4 teaspoon salt  
2 tablespoons grated horseshad. Mix ingredients with fork. Chill and serve. Four tablespoons of heavy cream will yield 1-2 cup when it is whipped.

Save the sweetened spiced vinegar which comes from bottles of sweet pickles and use it in making boiled and French salad dressings.

## Ex-Countess Weds Man She Once Shot

BY MARY KNIGHT  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
Paris, Feb. 22—(UP)—Miss Alice Silverthorne of Chicago, formerly the Countess Frederick de Janze, and Raymond Vincent De Trafford, the man she once shot, were married today.

The marriage was the climax of a turbulent romance which reached a spectacular height when Miss Silverthorne shot De Trafford in 1927 aboard a railway train at the Gare Du Nord here.

The bride is the niece of Mrs. Ogden Armour of Chicago. She spent part of her youth in Buffalo, N. Y.

The ceremony took place in the town hall of Neuilly, a Paris suburb. The couple first met in the Happy Valley district of Kenya Colony in Africa, in 1925.

Since no dispensation was obtained from the church and the marriage of the Count and Countess was dissolved by the sacred Roman Rota, there was no religious ceremony. Instead, the couple and four witnesses and the correspondent, stood before the mayor of Neuilly, who wore the red, white and blue sash of his office and intoned the ritual solemnly.

Paris society appeared to have snubbed the ceremony for none of the nobility was present. Society once moved through the salons of the De Janze mansion, and was thrilled by the shooting of De Trafford and divorce of the Chicago girl five years ago.

The shooting resulted when the Count and Countess had gone to the railway station to tell De Trafford goodbye. Suddenly the Countess took a small pistol from her handbag and fired.

De Trafford refused to prosecute. The Countess was released with a cash fine under the first offenders' act.

**TO ATTEND DANCE IN STERLING TONIGHT—**  
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A Spartan mother called him into Time, And kindled duty in him as a flame; While he was schooled by the primeval hills Of old Virginia—schooled by their mighty woods. Where Indians war-whooped and the wild beasts prowled His name was written on no college scroll; But he drank wisdom from the wilderness. The mountains poured into his soul their strength, The rocks their fortitude, the stars their calm.

He grew a silent man; Yet carried on all roads The lofty courtesies, the high reserves. He seemed to know, even in this noise of time, The solemn quiet of Eternity. But fiery energy, a live crater slept Under the mountain calm; yet never blazed Into a passion, save in some black hour When craven souls destroyed the people. Then He was all sword and flame, a god in arms.

With the heart of a child, the wisdom of a sage, He toiled with no self to serve. He grew in greatness year by luminous year Until he carried empire in his brain. Yet if no Cause, no high commanding Cause, Had called him to the hazard of the deed, None would have guessed his power To build a nation out of chaos give To her wings of soaring destinies. But at the Hour, the People knew their Man. The one ordained of Heaven, ordained to stand In the deadly breach and hold the gate for God. And when the Scroll was signed and the glad Bell Of Independence echoed round the world, He led his tattered host on stubborn fields.

Barefoot and hungry, thru the ice and mire— Thru dolours, valors, desperations, dreams— Thru Valley Forge on to world startling hours When proud Cornwallis yielded up his sword. And all the way down to the road last bend Cool Judgment whispered to his listening mind. Where there was faltering he was there as faith; Where there was weakness he was there as strength; Where there was discord he was there as peace.

His trust was in the Ruler of Events— In Him who watches. He could say "The ends Are in God's hand. I trust. But while I trust in battle" In this creed His soul took refuge and his heart found rest. When after Yorktown all the guns were hushed Still was our Chieftain on a battle line. Fighting old laws old manners old beliefs. He fought the outworn old. And lit new torches for the march ahead.

Life tried his soul by all the tests of time— By hardship, treachery, ingratitude. Yes, even by victory and the loud applause. When fortune flung to him a crown, he flung The bauble back and followed the People's dream. He turned from all the tempters, Stood firm above the perils of success— Stood like Monadnock high above the clouds.

He did the day's work that was given him; He toiled for men until he flamed with God. New in his greatness, ever superbly lone, He moves in his serene eternity, Like far Polaris wheeling on the North.

By Edwin Markham, author of "The Man With a Hoe."

## Girl Scouts Work Of Week Reviewed

**Monday—**  
Brownie Pack of the North Side met at the North Side school at 3:30. In their Pow Wow Circle the making of a newspaper was discussed and each Brownie told one thing she noticed at the Dixon Telegraph office. A child's printing set was brought to the meeting. All had a chance to try printing. Tawny Owl, Dorothy Schmidt took charge of the games which were played with much gusto. At 4:30 the Brownies vanished from the Magic Circle.

Troop V met with Lois Sheffield. The meeting was devoted to celebrating St. Valentine's Day. The captain, Miss Dorothy Prescott brought a gaily decorated Valentine Box from which many Valentines were received. Each member was given a heart shaped box of candy by the captain. Mrs. Geo. Prescott sent the troop a huge dish of pop corn which was heartily received and greatly appreciated.

The next meeting will be with Betty Whitecombe at 7 o'clock in the evening.

The High School Troop had no meeting this week, owing to the illness of many of the members. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. C. A. Hoppers, at 626 N. Galena Ave. All members are requested to be present at 7:15 sharp. Bridge will follow a short meeting. Those wishing to attend must sign with Miss Catherine Buchner before noon Monday.

**Tuesday—**  
Troop IV spent part of their hourly meeting at the north side school where they studied Scouting. The troop, then, went to the home of Lieutenant Mrs. Harold Cross, where they enjoyed a Valentine party. Games and appropriate refreshments for the occasion were indulged in. All reported a splendid meeting.

Tuesday evening Misses Dorothy Dodd, Anne Hofmann and Margaret Ballou entertained the Girl Scout leaders at dinner in the home of the Misses Rice.

After the delicious and well appointed dinner, the guests adjourned to the home of Miss Anne Hofmann. Miss Anderson, formerly at Camp Macy, New York, addressed the meeting. Miss Anderson spoke with great enthusiasm and charm of the values and methods of Girl Scout training. Following the address a discussion of

local problems was held in which Miss Anderson gave many valuable suggestions to the leaders. The meeting was followed by bridge. First prize was awarded to Miss Dorothy Prescott, while Miss Virginia Johnson received the favor for low score.

Troop I attended the operetta at the South Central school, then held a scramble supper at the home of Eleanor Dodd. The table was heavily loaded with many good things to eat which disappeared quickly before the hungry troop. When all thought they simply couldn't eat any more, Mrs. Dodd surprised them with individual ice cream cups which, of course, met with great favor. After the supper the troop sang camp songs and gave group plays. At 8:30 the troop gave a rousing cheer of thanks to Mrs. Dodd and left for their respective homes.

**Thursday—**  
Brownie Pack of the South Side were entertained with a George Washington Party at the home of their Brown Owl. Individual stunts and games filled the hour. All Brownies are saving spoons now in order to make spool dolls. Refreshments were served. A very gay pack of Brownies left this Brown Owl, and are anxiously awaiting their next meeting.

Troop VI were unable to hold their weekly meeting as the High School operetta was given at 4 o'clock. However all members are urged to attend the next meeting at 4 o'clock in the South Central school, as there will be an important announcement.

**Princess of Borneo Becomes Mohammedan**

(Copyright, 1932, by United Press)  
Paris, Feb. 22—(UP)—An English beauty and heiress, a Princess of Borneo who some day may rule over savages, revealed today why she left England as a Christian in an airplane speeding 100 miles an hour and landed in France a Mohammedan after a ceremony in mid-air in the flying mosque.

"I chose the air for my conversion because I wished it to be performed in no earthly territory," the heiress, Princess Mada of Sarawak, Borneo, and daughter of the late Sir Walter Palmer, said.

The fore compartment of the "Silver Wings" liner of Imperial Air Ways was converted into a mosque. The ceremony was carried out 5,000 feet in the air, halfway between England and France.

Dr. Khalid Sheldrake, president of the Western Islamic Association performing the ceremony. Shouting loudly to overcome the roar of the motors he prayed to Allah, "the beneficent, the merciful, all praise due Allah, lord of the world—the beneficent, the merciful."

Then he placed his hands over the palm of the right hand of the Princess, who repeated the words of the Koran:

"I bear witness that nothing deserves to be worshipped but Allah, Allah, and I bear witness that Mohammed is the apostle of Allah, Allah."

"I give the name of Khair-ul-Nissa, fairest of women," Dr. Sheldrake shouted as solemnly as possible under the circumstances.

Princess Mada wore a black fur coat and a black frock. The red fez worn by Dr. Sheldrake was the only eastern touch to the strange scene.

The Silver Wing crew was aboard in regular uniform. A steward served luncheon to the Princess and Dr. Sheldrake after the ceremony. The plane carried other regular passengers.

The Princess has made other changes in her religion. She was reared in the Protestant faith and later became a devout Christian Scientist. In 1930 she became a Roman Catholic and was received in private audience by the Pope, wearing the national Malayan costume at his request.

The Princess said she was assured that truth could be found only in Mohammedanism.

"My religion was most austere and made no allowances for human nature," she said. "It tried even to control the thoughts of its followers. But Mohammedanism is a very straight, direct and pure message from God."

"I have counted the cost and know that it will mean bitter criticism and possibly alienation from my family, but I never will regret my action," she said.

The Princess will become the custodian of one of the most valuable garments in the world, a tunic which Mohamed is said to have worn more than 1,300 years ago. The garment is valued at \$1,750,000. The faithful from many parts of the world are expected to inspect the tunic when displayed at a large hall in London.

Princess Mada was left a fortune by her father, the late Sir Walter Palmer, who was a partner in the Biscuit manufacturing firm of Huntley & Palmer. As the wife of Prince Sarawak, Borneo, she may some day rule over savages and headhunters.

**Marriage Laws by Rabbi Lawn**

New York, Feb. 22—(UP)—Rabbi Jerome M. Lawn has issued his own decalogue—the "Ten Commandments of Marriage."

1. Continue your sweet courtship of love throughout married life.

2. Remember that you are both human, not perfect, hence liable to err.

3. Confide in each other; keep no secrets from each other.

4. When you are in wrong, admit and "kiss and make up."

5. Respect the parents of your wife or husband; your home will be happier for it.

6. Encourage your husband, he will strive to live up to your estimate of him.

7. Never forget the seventh commandment, "Do not commit adultery." If you do, it is but the beginning of your future unhappiness.

8. Live within your means, do not imitate your neighbors.

9. Accompany your husband or wife wherever you are asked to do so, even at a moment's notice. We all have our whims and notions to do things suddenly at times.

10. Belong to your house of God; both of you; be active in it. God will bless you for it."

**Entertained at a Washington Party**

Mrs. Earl J. Helms of Sterling entertained a group of Dixon Girl friends at a George Washington birthday party Friday evening. In the bridge games Miss Lillian Koepfer was awarded the first favor and Miss Beatrice Stevens won the favor for second high score. Miss Vera Thome won the Washington contest prize.

A very dainty luncheon was served by the hostess at her dining table, where the places were marked by colonial silhouette place cards. There were red carnations and candles and blue stars on the white cloth to carry out the patriotic color scheme for this month. The hostess gave favors of old fashioned bouquets to her guests.

Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Helms entertained several couples, some from Dixon and some from Sterling, three tables. The same Patriotic decorations used Friday were employed.

Atty. and Mrs. Elwin Bunnell were awarded the favor for high score at bridge with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Reed winning the second favor.

**To Entertain Lee Co. Legion and Auxiliary**

Dixon Unit No. 12, American Legion Auxiliary will entertain the Lee County Council American Legion and Auxiliary Wednesday evening, Feb. 24 in Legion Hall. Each Legion post and unit in the county will be well represented. A program commemorating Washington's birthday day will be given, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Catherine S. Bartling, state president of the Legion Auxiliary will be one of the principal speakers. Joseph Eichler, County Commander, has secured a very able speaker for the evening. There will also be special music and readings.

Mrs. Stella Schmucker, president of Dixon unit, and A. C. Handell, Dixon commander, request that all members of their organizations be present. The public is also welcome at this meeting, and all patriotic orders are cordially invited.

**O. E. S. School of Instruction Wednesday**

Wednesday, February 24th, Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S., will have their school of instruction. Mrs. Florence Hennick of Aurora will be the grand lecturer. There will be a picnic supper at 6:30. Mrs. Robt. Espy is the chairman, and all desiring to attend will kindly communicate with her.

The sessions will start at 2 o'clock and 7:30 o'clock. They will be very interesting as the officers have their new rituals and will have their instructions accordingly. The new rituals will be in force from now on and the changes that have been made are most beneficial, and tend to make the work more interesting.

**Wedding Saturday Afternoon at 3:30**

John D. Burmeister and Miss Pauline Witzleb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Witzleb, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The bride was beautifully attired in a simple frock light blue tulle, with accessories harmonizing. The double ring ceremony was employed. There were no attendants.

After the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Burmeister went to Joliet for a visit with her sister. On their return they expect to go to farming north of Dixon. They have the best wishes of hosts of Dixon friends as the bride is an attractive young woman and the bridegroom is an industrious and ambitious young man.

**Bert Lindeman's Birthday Observed**

Bert Lindeman celebrated his birthday Friday and that evening a group of neighbors and friends gathered at his home in honor of the event, completely surprising both Mr. and Mrs. Lindeman. A picnic supper was greatly enjoyed and then a happy evening was spent in games. Mr. Lindeman was presented with a number of gifts and

all departed at a late hour, wishing him many such pleasant anniversaries.

**WIDE STRAP TO NECKLINE IN NEW DECOLLETE—**

Paris—(AP)—Princess Megeloff is among sponsors of the new evening decollee designed with a wide strap up the center of the back to the neckline. She appeared at a recent fashionable evening party wearing a gown of shell pink satin designed with the back center strap fastening around the throat and leaving the shoulders bare. Her wrap was of white ermine collared in white fox.


**SHORT FUR CAPES POPULAR IN PARIS—**

Paris—(AP)—Mrs. Anthony Drexel Biddle, Jr., is among smart Americans who have adopted the vogue for short fur capes. Mrs. Biddle, who has been spending the winter in Paris, wears with a simple black crepe frock a waistlength cape of silver fox skins. It is tied in a bow in front with wide ribbons of crepe georgette.

**CLUBS TO HAVE LUNCHEON TUESDAY—**

The North and South Side Bridge clubs will enjoy a luncheon at the Hotel Dixon Tuesday.

(Additional Society on Page 2)




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Soup  
Roast Shoulder Lamb, Mint Jelly  
Macaroni Loaf, Shrimp Sauce  
Spareribs and Sauer Kraut  
Baked Pork Chops  
Calves Liver and Bacon  
French Toast and Jelly  
Tea Coffee Milk

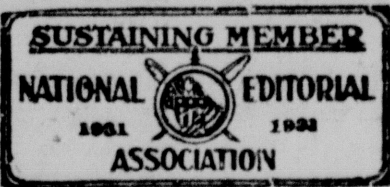
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**CLEARING THE WAY.**

The average citizen, who knows practically nothing of the intricacies of high finance and who counts himself wealthy whenever his bank account gets as high as \$200, probably finds it hard to get excited about the congressional bill to expand Federal Reserve credit facilities.

He is willing to take it on faith that this is an important measure. But he can't see just how it is going to help him, and now and then he probably feels that the government might well worry more about his individual plight and less about the plight of the banks—which, he thinks, are swollen plutocratic institutions anyhow.

An examination of the things this bill will do, however, might give him a new point of view. In the end it is more likely to put money in his pocket than any other single congressional enactment.

To begin with, the bill will create new credit by making many new kinds of commercial paper eligible for rediscount at Federal Reserve banks. Even more important is the fact that it would permit government securities to be used as a basis for the issuance of new currency.

Under present laws, only gold or commercial paper can be used for that purpose. The depression, by contracting the flow of commercial paper, has operated in a very direct way to cut down the emission of new currency. Under the new law, it will be possible to put around \$1,000,000,000 in new money into circulation—which, in turn, will provide facilities for credit to the extent of at least \$10,000,000.

It will mean, in short, a change from a period of "tight money," as the homely old expression has it, to a period of "easy money." Banks will be able to stay open. Industrialists who are postponing expensive projects will be able to get the money for them. The small business man who has been unable to borrow the money he needs will be able to get it. New orders, new business, new jobs will be the result.

Will this mean an immediate return to prosperity? Perhaps not. But it will clear the way for such a return. It will provide the only possible basis on which such a return can be made.

**HANDSHAKING IS OUT!**

One action of President Hoover's that ought to win wholehearted support all over the United States is his recent decision to call off the traditional hand-shaking receptions at the White House on the ground that they "present too great a task for the president at such a time as this."

There can hardly be any argument about the justification of this action. The president of the United States is one of the busiest and most active men in the world. To expect him to waste his time and exhaust his strength in shaking the hands of several thousand complete strangers every so often is nothing less than silly.

Of course, the visitor to Washington who gets a chance to shake the hand of the president has something nice to talk about later. But what of it? Isn't conservation of the president's strength a bit more important than the gratification of this completely meaningless desire?

**PROSPERING INDUSTRY.**

A survey of the airplane industry in 1931 indicates that it withstood hard times about as well as any industry in the nation, despite the fact that only \$49,000,000 worth of airplanes were built as compared with planes worth twice that much in 1929.

To begin with, all the ships that were built last year were sold—which was decidedly not the case in 1929. Production was off, but it was accurately geared to consumption, which is the important thing. Furthermore, the excess stocks built up in 1929 were largely disposed of.

In addition, the air transport business showed striking gains. More lines were in operation last year, more miles were flown and more passengers were carried than ever before.

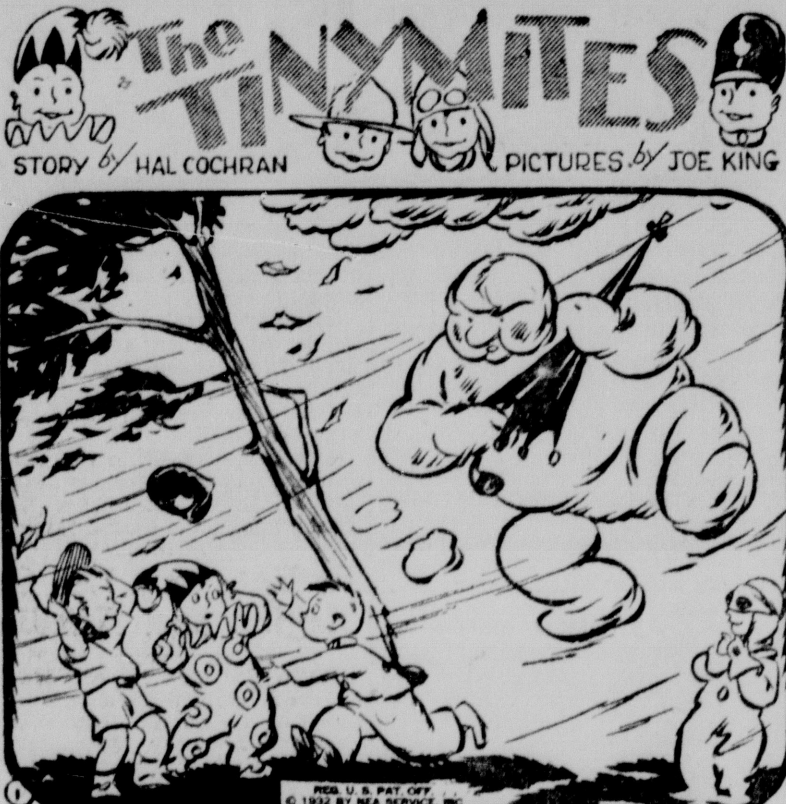
Aviation, evidently, has become a firmly-established business. Its position now is far stronger than it was before the depression began.

In war we saw off the limb we are sitting on. We make utter and insane fools of ourselves, and in the end commit economic suicide.—Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick, Pastor of Riverside Baptist Church, New York.

The Japanese army is in Shanghai hoping to aid in the return to normalcy and did not come primarily to wage hostilities.—Lieutenant General Kenkichi Uyeda, Japanese Commander at Shanghai.

Japan may send millions of troops, but will find it impossible to subjugate China.—Wang Ching-wei, President of the Nanking Government.

Confidence, more than anything else, is what is needed to restore prosperity.—Congressman H. B. Steagall of Alabama.



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

The Tinymites sat upon a hill and one said, "We must wait until we think of some place we can go. Who has a plan in mind? I'd like to travel very much and find a lot of thrills and such. I do not know, however, of a place that we can find."

Then Scouty said, "You make me smile. We will simply strike out after while and walk until we find some place we have never seen before. It is sure no place will come up here. You do not use your head. Just let me lead you lads and there will be some thrills in store."

"All right," snapped Duncy, "but please wait. I think it is wise to hesitate until we all have had a nap. I'm sleepy as can be. I want my eyes to be real good so I can see all that I should. The way they are right now, I am sure it would be hard to see."

"Well, I am not sleepy," Copy said. "The rest of you can go ahead and have your snooze. I will stay awake and call you in an hour." He then sat down beside a tree. It soon grew windy as could be, and Copy thought that they were very likely due to a shower.

But when he jumped and looked about, he woke the others with a shout. "Wake up, you lazy Tinymites, and gaze out in the air. I see a funny looking man." Then up to him the others ran. "You're right," exclaimed Duncy, "and it gives me quite a scare."

The man was made of clouds. How queer. And when he floated right up near, he sailed down toward the earth and loudly cried, "Hello! Now do not be afraid of me. I am as friendly as can be. In case you do not know my name, it's simply Old Man Blow."

(The Tinymites start on a funny ride in the next story.)

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Monday, February 22  
 "The King of Glory Shall Come In" (Read Psalm 24.)

There come hours of high exaltation to those who are spiritually receptive. Such periods are not often of long duration but they leave a profound and lasting impression. It is for such times of supreme experience that we are prepared by the patient cultivation of religious capacity through prayer and meditation. Then in an instant of illumination, we know what it is to be lifted up in soul, as the gates and doors are lifted in the wall of a city, that the King of Glory may come in.

Prayer. Oh Thou who art great and high and glorious give us patience to prepare ourselves for Thy Coming, through meditation upon the truths which are eternal. Then the discipline being accomplished and our hearts ready, enter we pray that we may receive Thee in Thy Glory and be kindled by the holy flame of Perfect Love. This we ask through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

**Daily Health Talk**

**HEALTH AND ECONOMICS**  
 Much concern has been expressed in many quarters over the possible effects of the unemployment situation on the health of our people.

From the surgeon general's office at Washington come reassuring reports that the past year's mortality rates were among the lowest on record and that there has been no appreciable increase in deaths in any important division.

While at first this may appear an encouraging index to the health condition of the country and to indicate that the present retardation in business has had no injurious effect upon public health, the surgeon general's report, when carefully scrutinized, does not justify these conclusions.

The effects of a starvation diet do not become apparent at once. They may be perceptible only after the lapse of 20 or 30 years, for in times of economic or other stress, it is the young and the aged, but particularly the young, who suffer most.

There is, however, if the expression may be permitted, a cheerful

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By this time one of the older and more temperamental members was reached. He had been watching the clock and was all out of patience. He read every word of an elaborate opinion he had written.

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It is surprising how cheaply a balanced and nourishing diet may be bought if one is willing to forego a certain amount of refinement and convenience in food items.

Tomorrow — Sleep Walking

**Sidelights In News In Capital Of United States**

(By The United Press)  
 Washington, Feb. 22 — (UP)—One of the grand old traditions of the United States Supreme Court is the solemn reading of opinions by the Justices on Monday decision days.

In the days of efficiency and pep even in ancient legal machinery, the practice has been much criticized. There have been movements to discontinue it but so far they have all failed.

With Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes guiding the destinies of the high court, talk of reducing this procedure to a simple formality and thereby saving many precious minutes and sometimes hours has been revived. But the task, if attempted, may defy even Hughes' efficient and practical ability. For even under the somber black judicial robe oftentimes beats a very human heart.

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**TODAY IS THE WORLD WAR ANNIVERSARY**  
 BRITISH TAKE JERICHO  
 On February 22, 1918, British soldiers in Palestine occupied Jericho after a sharp encounter with the Turkish troops.  
 Defeat of the Turkish armies in Palestine was hailed as a great victory for the allied cause.  
 U. S. Troops on the western front were engaged in a severe trench raid action. They repulsed a German group, inflicting heavy casualties.  
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**RADIO RIALTO**

- MONDAY, FEB. 22, 1932  
 6:00—Lumber Jacks—WENR  
 6:15—Lanin Orch.—WMAQ  
 6:30—Hoswell Sisters—WBBM  
 Serenade—WENR  
 6:45—Goldbergs—WENR  
 Stebbins Boys—KYW WOC  
 7:00—The Club—WGN  
 Eastman Orch.—WLS  
 7:15—Singin' Sam—WGN  
 7:30—Lawrence Tibbett—WMAQ  
 Kate Smith—WGN  
 Death Valley Days—WLS  
 7:45—Colonel and Bud—WGN  
 8:00—Gypsies—WMAQ  
 Mills Brothers—WGN  
 Orch. and Quartet—WGN  
 8:15—Broadcast Rehearsal—WGN  
 8:30—Parade of Sates—WENR  
 Smollen' Orch.—WGN  
 Story of Women's Names—KYW  
 9:00—Radio Forum—WENR  
 Lombardo Orch.—WBBM  
 With Canada's Mounted—WJZ  
 9:30—Mr. Bones & Co.—WENR  
 Shikret Orch.—WBBM  
 9:45—Myrt and Marge—WBBM  
 10:00—Bing Crosby—WGN  
 10:15—Alice Joy—WENR  
 10:30—Morton Downey—WGN  
 Pedro's Orch.—WENR  
 10:45—Blue Rhythm Band—WMAQ  
 11:00—Piano Moods—WENR  
 11:15—Van Steeden Orch.—WENR

**Girl Accomplish Convicts Robbers**

Chicago, Feb. 20 — (UP)—Three men were convicted by a jury in Judge James J. Kelley's court today of robbing the Glencoe home of Lawrence Stern, wealthy broker, of \$100,000 in jewelry, and face sentence of one to 10 years in prison.

The defendants were Max and Ernest Levy brothers and David Blumenfeld. They were arrested in Gary, Ind., with Wilma Harjes, maid in the Stern home. Miss Harjes was alleged to have supplied the Levy brothers with plans of the Stern home. The Levys it was charged, carried out the robbery, while Blumenfeld allegedly acted as the "fence" for disposal of the valuables.

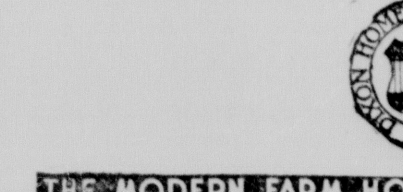
Sale in New York of an \$85,000 necklace, the most valuable item among the stolen jewels, for \$9100, led to tracing the gang.

Miss Sadie Weingarten, an alleged accomplice of the Levys, was granted a severance and will be tried separately. Miss Harjes, who turned state's



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- 11:30—Moore's Orch.—WOC  
**TUESDAY, FEB. 23**  
 6:15—Just Willie—WENR  
 Lanin Orch.—WMAQ  
 6:30—H. V. Kaltenborn—WBBM  
 Sylvia Froos—WENR  
 6:45—Goldbergs—WENR  
 Stebbins Boys—KYW  
 7:00—Sanderson and Crumit—KYW  
 The Club—WGN  
 Voter's Service—WLS  
 7:15—Singin' Sam—WGN  
 7:30—Mary and Bob—WOC  
 Kate Smith—WGN  
 Harmonies—WLS  
 7:45—Broadway Thrills—WGN  
 Sisters of the Skillet—KYW  
 8:00—Musical Magazine—KYW  
 Ben Bernie—WLS  
 Radio Music Drama—WMAQ  
 8:30—Voorhees' Orch.—WGN  
 Great Personalities—WENR  
 9:00—Dance Hour—WENR  
 Russ Columbo—WMAQ  
 9:30—Shriket Orch.—WBBM  
 Paris Night Life—KYW  
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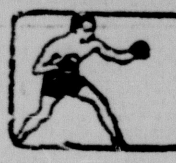
**A THOUGHT FOR TODAY**  
 We walk by faith, not by sight.—II Corinthians 5:7.  
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# TODAY in SPORTS



## TOP FLIGHT ONE OF PRETTIEST OF THREE-YEAR-OLDS

### "Personality" Of Favorite In Derby Entries Is Discussed

BY ORLO ROBERTSON  
(Associated Press Sports Writer)  
New York, Feb. 22—(AP)—In her own way, she's one of the prettiest young ladies in America, a mincing, prancing young lady.

She's quite the catch of the season, as far as horses go, this Miss Top Flight, daughter of the very aristocratic Mr. Dis Done and Mrs. Flyatt. Despite her youth, three-year-old, she already has banked \$219,000. As a matter of fact she is the richest young lady in all the history of horse racing.

Perhaps her face isn't as beautiful, classically, as some feminine faces that appear at race tracks, but she can wiggle her ears. Her nose is rather long, but her legs, her back limbs rather, are slim and shapely, and snow white. Otherwise she's a soft glossy color, all but the white blaze across her face. Her eyes are big and brown. She seems to know it.

She's a most affectionate young lady and a very good housekeeper. She has a spotless white home in the C. V. Whitney stables. There is nothing upstage about her, she is just "choosy."

#### Likes Sugar

She loves to have her sleek coat brushed and shined, her legs oiled. Her affections, however, are none too stable. For a lump of sugar she'll make a grand play for an utter stranger. She nuzzles around in the pockets of visitors if the sugar isn't forthcoming. She has a way of looking disappointed, even a bit disgusted, if the search is fruitless.

"Mimi" is her name around the stables and "Top Flight" just a title that goes into the record book. Her constant companion is Pintail, one of the homeliest fillies in the barn, and it may be that "Mimi" is just feminine enough to know that she suffers nothing by comparison. She doesn't seem to like good-looking horses. Neither will she have anything to do with B.OWIE, a little mongrel dog that goes from stall to stall, inspecting the work of the grooms.

Although she likes apples, one caused the only incident she has ever figured in.

Apple Caused Accident  
She was more interested in a romp with Pintail in the paddock than in an apple offered her by a stableboy. As she wheeled away from him, she kicked up her heels, striking the boy in the face. His jaw was broken.

The grooms say it was an accident. To show that she was sorry, they insist Top Flight stopped her romp, left her playmate, and stood sorrowfully by, watching as the boy was given first aid.

There will be no really hard work for her until it is time to start active training for the races preliminary to the Kentucky Derby. Already she is the favorite for the three-year-old classic, first time in the history of the race that a filly has been the first choice of the winter bookmakers. Only one filly, Regret, ever won the Derby.

Three times a day, Top Flight's hoofs are inspected and manured. She eats only twice a day but not for any need of dieting, although she has gained 75 pounds since the close of her two-year-old campaign.

Like any lady with a mind of her own, she has her preference in jockeys. "Sonny" Workman rides her to the races but her pal is Arthur Nelligan, the stable's head exercise boy. She runs fast for him.

## Sports Parade

BY HENRY MOLEMORE

(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
New York, Feb. 22—(UP)—They are going to wind up Mister Gene Venzke and send his ticking around the slate-gray boards of Madison Square Garden in the National A. U. track and field championships tonight.

And it is highly probable that after the young man has ticked off eleven laps Monsieur Jules LaDoumeque will be just another Frenchman and not the runner of the fastest mile of all time.

The last time they wound up Mister Venzke and turned him loose he picked them up and laid them down to wait the mile in four minutes and 10 seconds, or just four-fifths of a second slower than the 4:09 1-5 time of Monsieur La Doumeque. This 4:10 flat time, remarkable under any circumstances, was made downright amazing by the fact that Mister Venzke did not decide to make a race of the thing until half the race was covered. He crossed the finish line running like a sprinter and showing none of the distress signals usually shown by milers when the tape is reached.

Judging him strictly on that race there is no telling how fast the 22-year-old Pennsylvanian will do the mile the day he decides to shoot the works from the start. Tonight may see him break with the gun and head for home with all the speed and power that is packed in these skinny legs of his. If he does and if he gets a little pressure from the rest of the field, the French-

## Peppe Outfit



The youngest member of the U. S. Olympic Figure Skating Team for Women, Audrey Peppe, wears red, white and blue when she goes out skating. White beret, a quite large, white slip-on, and cardigan blue trousers and red mittens and belt make up her costume.

man's record may be knocked from here to Bangkok.

The mile run, as you well know, is just about as grueling an event as track has to offer. Yet you should see this Venzke fellow take it in stride. Unlike the majority of milers, both good, bad and indifferent, he seems to move along without any physical effort whatsoever, and even when in the midst of a sprint he appears to have plenty of reserve.

Mister Venzke has told his friends that he is satisfied with 4:10 and will make no effort to lower the time for fear of burning himself out.

His friends, remembering that he made the same sort of speech after doing 4:11.2 some weeks back, place little faith in his words. Venzke will go to the post with the same field he has beaten so thoroughly in recent meets. His rivals will include Leo Lirmond, Carl Coan, Frank Crowley, Glenn Dawson, Bill McKinnif and Orval Martin. These boys deserve a hand for going out there and running their hearts out when they know the best they can hope for is a poor second.

Any doubt as to John McGraw's intentions of bringing them Giants home in front in the National this year, was dispelled when the "Little Napoleon" went out of his way to bring Bill Terry into the fold. John usually makes the holdout boys come to him. But it's been eight long years since a championship flag fluttered over Coogan's Bluff and John is a trifle impatient. And he was smart enough to know that without Terry the Giants would run for Mrs. McSweeney.

## Baseball Gossip

Chicago, Feb. 22—(UP)—Low Fensica, Chicago White Sox manager, was expected today to confer with owner J. Louis Comiskey regarding the team's spring training expedition. The first group of White Sox will leave Wednesday for preliminary training at Mineral Wells, Tex., before going to San Antonio.

Los Angeles, Feb. 22—(AP)—Three great ball players of other years, Tris Speaker, Grover Cleveland Alexander and Dave Bancroft, will play on the Joe E. Brown baseball team against the Buster Keaton team here next Sunday.

Brown and Keaton are assembling all-star nines for the game, with all the proceeds going to the American Olympic Finance Committee, Southern Division. The money will be used to train and transport Yankee stars to the games here next summer.

Santa Catalina Island, Cal., Feb. 22—(AP)—Work for the young Cubs was due to become heavier today as manager Rogers Hornsby worked on pitchers to have them ready for the coming of the second stage of the end of the week.

Of the recruit pitchers, Lyle (Bud) Tinning, who won 24 games, 16 of them in a row, while losing two for Des Moines in the Western League last year, has impressed Hornsby, as has Lon Werneke. Vince Barton, outfielder who finished the season with the Cubs last year, also is getting plenty of pointers, especially on batting form.

Clearwater, Fla., Feb. 22—(UP)—With 16 members of the Brooklyn baseball club on hand, spring training was scheduled to get underway officially today.

At this first workout, it will be learned definitely whether five Brooklyn players actually are hold-

ers, Ohio outfielder had passed the test with high honors. He not only proved adept at fly catching, but slammed the ball to all parts of the field, showing good driving power.

Paso Robles, Cal., Feb. 22—(AP)—Battlemens of the Pittsburgh Pirates received first instruction of the 1932 season from Manager George Gibson today and prepared to jump into training.

Weather permitting, the advance guard, lacking four veterans who are believed to be holdouts, will warm up on a pasture which for eight years has served as the Buc training ground.

The party that detrained yesterday consisted of Pitchers Spencer, Wood, Niggling, McEwan, Grace and Pinney; Outfielder Jensen; Coach Hartley; Trainers Jorgensen and Astin; and Manager and Mrs. Gibson.

Pitchers Ray Kremer, Larry French, Ervin Brame and Heinle Meine had not appeared today.

## Do You Remember?

One Year Ago Today — For the second straight season, Johnny Farrell came from behind with a last-round 70 to post a 72-hole score of 286 strokes, good enough to win him the \$3000 Pensacola Open golf championship. Tied for second money at 289 apiece were Willie Macfarlane and Denny Shute.

Five Years Ago Today — Edwin Wide, Swedish running marvel, celebrated his 31st birthday with a romp-away in the 3000-meter handicap run of the Boston American Legion indoor games.

Ten Years Ago Today — Willie Ritola, 26-year-old Finnish-American A. C. distance runner, ran away from a field of 48 in the 15-mile Brooklyn Sea Gate marathon. He finished a half mile in front of the second-place winner in the record-breaking time of 1 hour 25 minutes and 2-5 seconds.

## Steward Youth With Cubs At Catalina

Among Cubs now in training at Catalina Island is LeRoy Hermann of Steward. A two column picture of him at bat was published in Sunday's Chicago Tribune, with the notation:

"He's a pitcher, but appears dangerous with the bat. The powerful left arm of LeRoy Hermann, native of Steward, Ill., who won 20 and lost 11 with Los Angeles last year."

Forty-one U. S. plants produce butter substitutes.

## With The Golfers

Tampa, Fla., Feb. 22—(AP)—Paul Runyan of Westchester, New York, today won new honors and \$935 in gold, yesterday as he defeated Willie MacFarlane of Tuckahoe, N. Y., 3 and 1, in the 36-hole final round of the \$4,000 Gasparilla open golf tournament.

Today, the knickered clan moved to St. Petersburg, where tomorrow and Wednesday they will seek \$1,500 in prizes in the St. Petersburg open tournament.

Miami Beach, Fla., Feb. 22—(UP)—

Second round matches in annual Pan-American tennis tournament were played today.

Count George Du Manlof of Paris faced Jarvie Adams of Port Washington, L. I. in one of the principal events of the day, while Wilmer Allison of Austin, Texas, and Ray Goffreyson of Milwaukee, Wis., met in another.

George Lott of Chicago and R. Fairbanks of Indianapolis who drew byes in the first round, played their second round match yesterday, Lott winning 6-3; 6-2.

## Dempsey May Meet King This Summer

Chicago, Feb. 22—(UP)—Jack Dempsey still beating back along the comeback trail despite his setback by King Levinsky, left at midnight last night for Louisville, Ky., where he will meet Frank Wine in a four-round exhibition Tuesday night.

Dempsey has booked for appearances at Dayton Ohio, Feb. 29 and Cincinnati O. March 3. He has tentative bookings at Toronto, Detroit, and several mid-western cities in the future.

Since his loss of a newspaper decision to Levinsky last Thursday night, he has trained daily in a gymnasium in an effort to work off the effects of a cold which settled in his chest.

The Chicago Stadium has offered Dempsey a date late in March to meet Levinsky again in a six-round exhibition. Leonard Sacks, Dempsey's manager, replied: "The next time Dempsey meets Levinsky it will be with 6-ounce gloves and over the 10-round route and it will be in the summer."

## Judge Steffen To Assist At Carnegie

Pittsburgh, Feb. 22—(AP)—Judge Walter P. Steffen of Chicago, connected with Carnegie Tech football coaching for 18 years, will retain his post next year but will curtail activity at the school.

Appointment of Robert N. Waddell as head coach of the Skibo crew was announced yesterday by Carnegie Tech officials, who at the same

## Fearful Days Left Behind



Behind him are grim weeks spent in the shadow of the electric chair. Now Edward H. B. Allen, Philadelphia society youth who recently was acquitted of the murder of Francis A. Donaldson 3d, has returned to his favorite sport—the running of thoroughbred horses. Here he is pictured with Golden Gorse from the Halloway Stables at Berwin, Pa.

time said Judge Steffen, who announced some months ago that he would sever with the Pittsburgh institution, would remain as advisor to Waddell.

The Chicago jurist, from his mid-life western home said he had agreed to remain in an advisory capacity "only when it is convenient for me to do so."

## Australian Tennis Star May Visit U. S.

New York, Feb. 22—(AP)—If reports reaching the United States from the Antipodes are not overly optimistic, the United States tennis world next summer may see a 15-year-old youngster on the Australian Davis Cup team who uses both hands in hitting his backhand shot. His name is Vivian McGrath.

"This boy has had to overcome all the prejudices of the high priests of orthodoxy," says The Review in its January 13th issue, which has just reached New York, "because he wields his racket on the backhand as he would a cricket bat—with both hands. Many of the near champions who have been playing since before McGrath was born and all the young embryo champions for whom Davis Cup honors were predicted are falling before his triumphal march."

## Baer Is Favored To Defeat Heeney

San Francisco, Feb. 22—(UP)—Max Baer, leading California heavyweight, was a 3 to 1 favorite over Tom Heeney, veteran Australian fighter, for their 10-round bout here this afternoon.

Even money was placed that Baer would win by a knockout. Last year Baer knocked Heeney out of the ring in the third round but it was a disputable victory. The "Rock from Down Under" was expected to have a weight advantage of about six pounds, but Baer had four inches more reach and is three inches taller and nine years younger.

## Campbell Finding Course Difficult

Oaytona Beach, Fla., Feb. 22—(A7)—Continued adverse beach conditions today gave promise of again causing postponement of Sir Malcolm Campbell's attempt to break his own world's automobile speed record of 245 miles an hour.

The course which has been bumpy for a week or more showed no signs of smoothing in time for record trials today.

## Cosgrave Promises Conditional Support

Dublin, Irish Free State, Feb. 22—(AP)—President William T. Cosgrave today promised conditional support of his apparently defeated government party to Eamon De Valera if the latter forms a new Irish government.

President Cosgrave, whose party ran second to De Valera's Fianna Fail in the general election held last Tuesday, said that although his government had "hysterical opposition" during the years it was in power in Ireland, the new government would have from him an opposition which would support it as long as its policies were beneficial to Ireland.

With 14 districts still unheard from, the standing of the parties in the election of members of the new Dail Eirinn was:

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Labor, 7.  
Government, 49.  
Independents (including Independent Labor) 17.

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## NORTHWESTERN IN SLUMP; PURDUE IS LEADING BIG TEN

### Illinois Upset Dope To Trim Michigan Saturday Night

Chicago, Feb. 22—(AP)—Tonight's schedule in the Western Conference basketball championship campaign may account for Northwestern's chance of retaining or sharing the title.

The Wildcats, soundly beaten by Purdue Saturday night, must face Michigan at Ann Arbor, and their chances of winning appear none too good. At Evanston several weeks ago, Northwestern was just able to trim the Wolverines, 21 to 20, and may suffer its third defeat of the season. And three defeats in the Big Ten this year may mean elimination from the title scramble.

Purdue will play its second game of the season against Indiana at Bloomington and should be able to take the improved Hoosiers. In their previous meeting the Boilermakers rolled up a 49 to 30 victory. In the other games tonight, Chicago and Wisconsin will meet at Madison, with the lesser doomed to last place.

Purdue Reached Peak  
Purdue reached peak form Saturday night to defeat Northwestern, 48 to 33, leading all the way and making a runaway of it in the closing minutes. The battle between Joe Reiff of Northwestern and Purdue's Johnny Wooden resulted in a bid edge for the Boilermaker guard who outscored Reiff, 15 points to six.

Illinois broke out with another upset in defeating Michigan, 29 to 23 at Champaign. The Illini defense kept the Wolverines in check most of the way and Hellmich, Illinois center, cashed in with eight field goals to provide the punch. Michigan and Illinois today were tied for fourth place with five victories and three defeats.

Minnesota moved back into third place by walloping Wisconsin, 43 to 17 at Minneapolis. The victory was Minnesota's sixth in nine games. Chicago surprised its followers by trimming Ohio State, 29 to 26, for its first victory in seven Conference starts. The Maroons let the defense take care of itself and concentrated on the Buckeye basket.

Indiana continued its tardy drive for a first decision position by defeating Iowa, 43 to 32. The Hoosiers today were tied with Ohio for fifth place, and were more than hopeful of upsetting their ancient foe, Purdue, tonight.

## Five Stars Entered In Billiard Tourney

Chicago, Feb. 22—(AP)—Willie Hoppe, former world billiards champion, will return to competition for the first time since 1928 tonight in a five-handed special three cushion tournament. Hoppe will meet Jay Bozeman of Vallejo, Cal., in the first night match. Bozeman also was down to meet Augie Kleckhefer of Chicago, world three-cushion titleholder, in the first afternoon match. Welker Cochran and Arthur Thurnblad of Chicago, were scheduled for the second afternoon game, and Cochran and Kleckhefer will meet in the second night engagement.

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Bright Spots In World Of Business

BY UNITED PRESS  
New York, Feb. 22—(UP)—Business sentiment showed further improvement this week as a result of sharp rise in stock and commodity prices, trade leaders reported.

Philadelphia—The Philadelphia & Reading Coal & Iron Corp. reported for 1931 net income of \$1,360,295, compared with \$1,026,055, in 1930.

Wilmington, Del.—J. C. Penny Co. reported net earnings for 1931 amounted to \$7,718,590, or \$3.13 a share, compared with \$7,096,892, or \$2.88 a share in 1930.

Chicago—Quaker Oats Co. declared an extra dividend of \$3 a share on common stock, in addition to the regular quarterly of \$1 a share.

Detroit—Packard Motor Co. announced it will start production on 12-cylinder models in the near future, expected to maintain the present high employment and production levels for several months.

## Russ Film Director Seeks To Enter U. S.

Laredo, Tex., Feb. 22—(AP)—Immigration authorities at Washington have been asked to permit the readmittance to this country of Sergei M. Eisenstein, Russian film director. Eisenstein and two Russian assistants were stopped at the Mexican border by American immigration officials here.

Eisenstein and his party had been in Mexico 14 months making a picture. Kimbrough said they wanted to return to this country to cut and synchronize the film. The film director and his companions remained at Nuevo Laredo pending action on the appeal.

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## BRUSHING UP SPORTS

By Laufer



THEY ALL LAUGHED WHEN LEFTY WISEMAN, trainer of the Cleveland Indians, sent a bullet screeching over the Cincinnati skyline and they laugh today when the subject is brought up among baseball folks. The Indians trained in New Orleans in 1930 and the nightly pastime was poker. One night Lefty was lucky and retired to his room with a goodly fistful of winnings. Before Lefty could lock his room a holdup man slipped in and ordered him to reach for the ceiling. Lefty calmly kept counting the money. The stickup artist became so nervous he nearly dropped the gun. Lefty, thinking it some ball player's joke, disarmed the bandit, who fled. A few weeks later on the team's journey north, in a Cincinnati hotel room, Lefty came across the gun and began tinkering with it. Suddenly the gun fired and a bullet went out the window. Ball players who rushed into the room, fearing Lefty had attempted suicide, still kid him about his rotten aim.





# 80 Years of Hindenburg

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MILTON BRONNER



(This is the first of six exclusive stories on President Paul von Hindenburg, Germany's greatest modern figure, who is now a candidate for a second term in the national election to be held in Germany on Sunday, March 13.—The Editor.)

BY MILTON BRONNER

European Manager, NEA Service (Copyright, 1932, NEA Service, Inc.) Berlin, Feb. 22—First in war, first in peace, first in the hearts of his countrymen!

Just as for more than 100 years childish voices in America's public schools have chanted this praise of George Washington, so, perhaps, one hundred years from now little German boys and girls will be saying the same thing about Paul Ludwig Hans Anton von Hindenburg.

He was first in war, as field marshal and commander-in-chief of Germany's armies in the great conflict that seared the world.

He has been first in peace, as president of the German Republic in the nation's trying years since 1925.

Whether he will be first in the hearts of his countrymen is on the knees of the gods.

The sealed verdict that will decide this is being written now as Germany prepares to go to the polls for another presidential election in which he is a candidate to succeed himself. The election is scheduled for March 13.

Hindenburg, an ex-monarchist running for the presidency at the earnest behest of German Republicans looks to this election for his vindication at the hands of his people. He is opposed by the aggressive Hitlerites and the Communists, each of whom has sought to wrest his power from him. The voters will now decide.

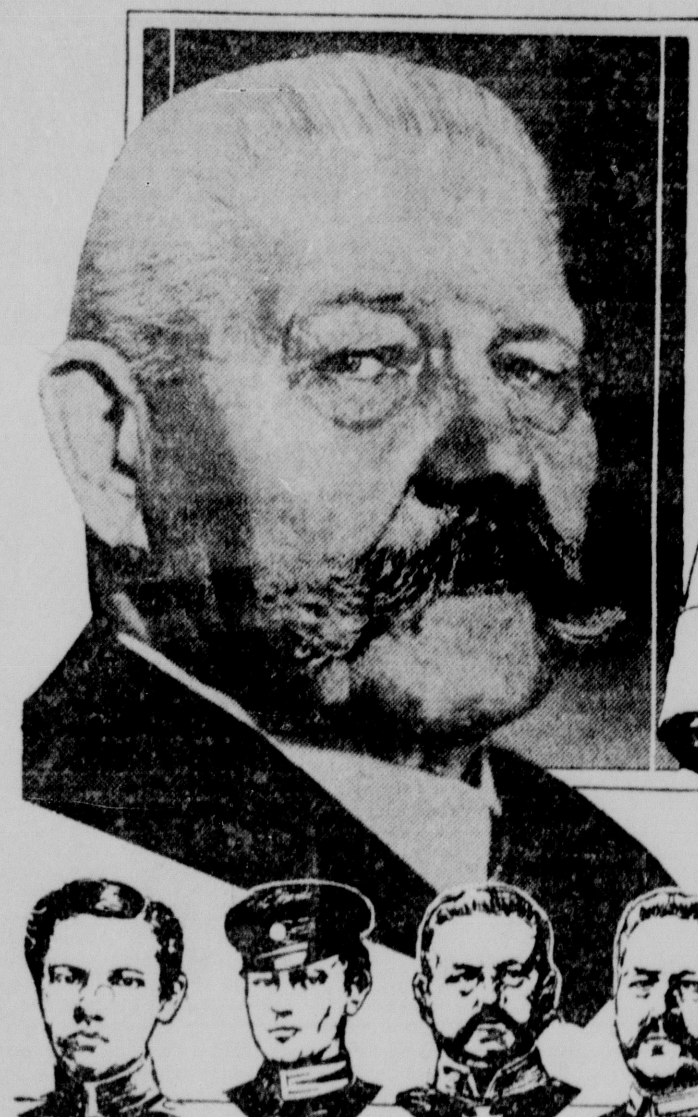
Who is this grim and rugged old man who sits in the presidential palace at Berlin in the shadows of his 84 years?

He is undoubtedly, the greatest "dug-out" in recorded annals, that being the phrase the English use to designate an army officer who has returned from retirement to win fame.

When Hindenburg was past 60 he retired from the German army and settled at Hanover. When nearly 70 he was "dug out" by the ex-kaiser and made field marshal of all the German armies after he had beat the Russians to a pulp on the western front. When he was nearing 80, he was "dug out" from his second retirement to become president of the republic.

Though never any special admirer of Kaiser Wilhelm, he gave the best and most devoted service of any of his generals. He proved himself a hero by leading Germany's battered armies back home after the war was lost and the Kaiser had run away to Holland.

All his life a monarchist, the world expected him to be a mere chair-warmer for the monarchist crowd when he was elected president. Hindenburg didn't. He took his oath to the republic and he has



SEVENTY YEARS IN THE SERVICE OF HIS COUNTRY, but what will the answer be in the election of March 13? A striking photographic closeup of President von Hindenburg and a sketch by Artist Paul Kroesen of the old warrior in his army uniform. The smaller sketches show him at varying periods in his colorful life.

stuck to it with a fidelity that is beyond question.

And what sort of a human being is this old President Paul von Hindenburg of Germany?

He is built on a big scale—big body, with a big head, which looks as if it had been rough hewn from granite.

In the presidential palace he sets Germans an example of frugal living and hard work.

He arises usually between seven and eight and immediately after breakfast takes a walk in the big garden.

Promptly at 9:30 he begins the day's work by receiving his personal state secretary, Dr. Meissner, and getting reports of all governmental activities. He is thus busy until he eats lunch at 1:30. Usually a few old friends are present as guests.

After lunch, he takes a short nap, works all afternoon and then has his dinner at 7:30 after another walk in his garden.

In the evening, he reads state documents or entertains a few friends. Promptly at 11 o'clock he goes to bed.

Only once since he has been president has he remained up later than that. He attended a parliamentary beer evening and got to swapping yarns with Otto Braun, the Socialist minister-president of the state of Prussia. Both Hindenburg and Otto Braun are mighty hunters.

One can imagine the scene: "Tia, Excellenz, das war ausserordentlich," says Braun, puffing at his pipe, while the presidential takes a sip of beer.

And so it goes on until Hindenburg sees the troubled glances of his entourage and looks at his watch. It is 3 A. M.

He possesses Napoleon's faculty of sleeping at odd moments, even in times of greatest stress and strain.

When typewritten manuscripts are brought into him for his signature, he goes over them with a fine tooth comb, puts the commas in the right place and inserts the full stops, if these have been neglected.

He explains that once a battle was lost through the wrong insertion of a comma in the operation orders.

He is a bit old-fashioned about modern inventions. It took him years to get accustomed to using the telephone.

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His backers had a time with him during his first presidential campaign getting him to agree to broadcast. He growled, but they finally got him before the "micro" and the old man made quite a speech. So much so that the announcer, completely absorbed in what he was hearing, forgot to throw off the switch when the speech was ended. The result was the vast German public heard the old man mutter: "Well, thank God, that's over!"

He would be the despair of an American presidential campaign manager. Some pompous fellow will come to see him on some mission connected with the election, will be ushered into Hindenburg's study, espy a painting of the great soldier Von Moltke and point to it, saying: "Ah Excellence, by Lenbach, is it not?"

"What the devil," the old man will growl, "you surely did not come all the way here to talk to me about my paintings!"

But if the visitor comes right to the point and explains his mission, then the old fellow himself may suggest a trip around the house and, acting as guide, will show all his swords, banners and mementoes.

He has a prodigious memory for names and faces. It is an old trick with royalties, when they go on tour, to have their memories furnished them ready-made. A secretary will look up a card index and will approach royalty.

"Your Royal Highness, we are coming to Glogau. Seven years ago you met Heinrich Schmitz and there at a beer-abend. He is an important man in the district. He is a big fellow with yellowish hair and light brown beard."

And, of course, His Royal Highness picks out Schmitz and "remembers" everything.

But this sort of fake is not necessary with Hindenburg. It is said that he really remembers thousands of his former comrades, recognizes them at sight.

During the World War many fanciful tales about the old man arose. Perhaps one of the best, which is said to be genuine and which is often told by Hindenburg himself, is this:

In his campaign in East Prussia in the first year of the war—when his picture was not so well known—he won a big victory at Insterburg. A year later—on Sept. 11, 1915—he was on his way to inspect the front and his auto was headed for the road that leads right through Insterburg. But he found it barred by the local police. His chauffeur told he could not drive through. When Hindenburg leaned out and asked why, he got his answer:

"Because a service of thanksgiving is being held in the market place in celebration of the first anniversary of the liberation of the town by our great General Hindenburg, that's why. And that ought to be sufficient answer to you. Get along!"

Hindenburg got along—chuckling.

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## Bayonet Poised for the Death Stroke



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## ROYAL PRESENTS WORK PALACE'S STAFF OVERTIME

Presents To the King And Queen Of Britain Are Returned

London —(UP)—The Buckingham Palace staff still is working overtime returning thousands of Christmas presents received by King George and Queen Mary.

It is an annual task, and one of the heaviest in the royal household. Merchants throughout the world, hoping to make a customer of the king or queen, literally flood the palace with their goods at Christmas.

Some of the gifts are accepted, but the more expensive ones are returned. Whenever the king, queen, or Prince of Wales, becomes a steady customer of a firm, the proprietors are granted the coveted royal warrant, which allows them to display the royal crest on their front window with the words, "By Appointment to H. M. the King," or whoever grants the warrant.

Few of the thousands who send gifts win that honor so easily, however. The chances are that their samples will be returned with thanks.

It is not only at Christmas that the gifts arrive. Every day postmen stagger into the palace with mailbags full of parcels. A clerk enters all the goods in a ledger.

The king's mail consists chiefly of cigars, cigarettes and articles appealing to the sportsman. If he kept all the tobacco sent him in one year, there would be enough in stock at the palace to last the kings of England through several reigns.

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## MILITARY EXPERT THINKS JAPS ARE IN BEST POSITION

Maj. Gen. Hanson E. Ely,  
U. S. A., Retired,  
Writes Views

By MAJOR GEN. HANSON E. ELY  
(Written for the United Press.)  
(Copyright, 1932, By United Press.)  
Washington, Feb. 22.—(UP)—  
The information of the last 24  
hours indicates that the Japanese  
not only have attained their ob-  
jective of Kiangwan, but have pro-  
ceeded some two miles west towards  
Tazang. In the face of mined  
ground and hidden machine gun  
nests the Japanese forces, accord-  
ing to the reports, are advancing  
cautiously in their usual thorough  
manner toward the latter place,  
leaving Kiangwan to be mopped up  
later.

With a few machine gun nests in  
Kiangwan, the Chinese can very  
likely hold back vastly superior  
forces of the Japanese for a time,  
thus deceiving the latter as to the  
actual strength of their forces.

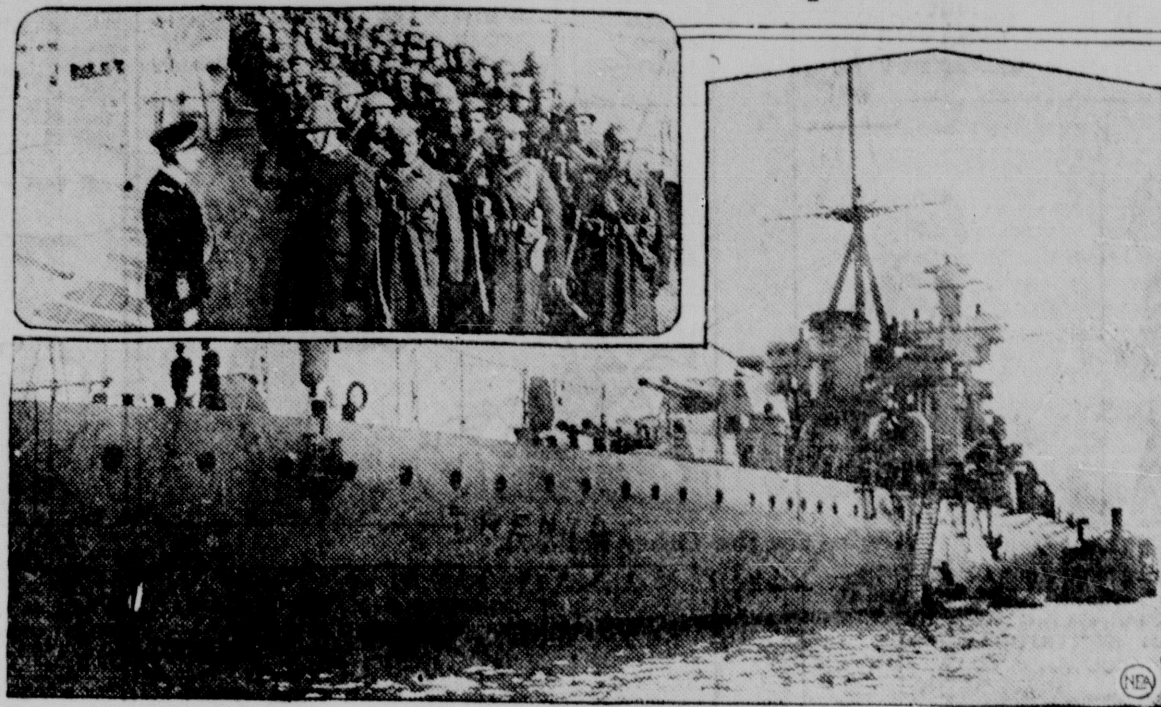
Oftentimes a few machine gun  
groups can hold out within a town  
for several hours after it is occu-  
pied by superior forces of the enemy.  
The superior communications of  
the Japanese with their unopposed  
air forces constantly sending in in-  
formation of both the enemy and  
the location of their own forces,  
would seem to give more reliability  
to the reports of the latter.

**Reports Confusing**  
Often in the heat of battle reports  
may come from a patrol or a few  
men indicating that a position is  
held by their own troops, whereas  
the position may be occupied by  
the mass or bulk of the troops of  
the enemy. This may explain the  
apparent conflict between the re-  
ports of the Chinese and the Jap-  
anese as to Kiangwan; both of  
whom may honestly believe them-  
selves in possession of the position  
there.

The use of bales of cotton by the  
Japanese as breast works and de-  
fense against the machine gun and  
rifle fire of the Chinese reminds  
one of the time they were first used  
by Jackson at New Orleans. This  
may have been remembered by the  
Japs, who are thorough students of  
military history.

With a force present reported as  
somewhere near 25,000 men, well  
equipped and highly trained, men it  
is estimated that the Japanese can af-  
ford to leave a reserve force at  
Woosung to complete the capture of  
that place; another force at Chap-  
ei to hold or mop up that place, and  
with a third force move toward Ta-  
zang to capture that place before

## Italian Warship Rushes Troops To China



Off to swell the ranks of the defenders of the Shanghai international settlement, the Italian battleship Trento is pictured here as it sailed from Gaeta, Italy, en route to the Chinese war zone. The vessel carried a regiment of troops, shown upper left as they paraded aboard ship just prior to their departure.

heavy reinforcements of Chinese  
can be brought up.

**Japs Aggressive**  
It is good military policy to seize  
as much ground as possible from a  
retiring enemy, even though one  
runs the chance of being forced on  
the defensive later. It is always  
good tactics to "go while the go-  
ing is ood." The Japanese, while  
cautious, are very aggressive and  
can be depended upon to take ad-  
vantage of every opportunity that  
presents itself.

Woosung forts have been bomb-  
arded now for several days by the  
naval forces aided by artillery on  
land. Up to eight-inch guns are  
reported as having been used.  
While these forts are obsolete or ob-  
solescent, the earthworks and some  
modern guns are present and would  
require a tremendous bombardment  
for the reduction of the place.  
With the continued bombardment  
by land, sea and air of these forts  
by the Japs, it seems likely their  
reduction will result thus relieving  
Jap troops for use elsewhere in the  
main mission of driving the Chi-  
nese 19th Route Army some 12 miles  
away from Shanghai.

The Japanese may be loath to  
bring in reinforcements because of  
the possibility of increasing inter-  
national tension and complications.  
In spite of being considerably  
behind schedule, they appear to  
have sufficient well equipped and  
trained forces present to accomplish  
their objective unless the 19th  
Route Army is reinforced.

Superior equipment and training  
of the Japanese, part of their care-  
ful preparation against any event-  
ual disparity of numbers now in  
favor of the 19th Route Chinese  
unit, seems destined to offset the  
Army.

## PRESIDENT LEADS NATION IN HONOR TO ITS FIRST CHIEF

(Continued From Page 1)

of greatness, or to seek to depreciate  
the unparalleled accomplishments  
of the man who dominated and gave  
birth to the being of a great na-  
tion."

The President waxed more elo-  
quent in defending the sublimity of  
Washington's character than at any  
other point in his entire eulogistic  
address.

"Motives and men," he said, "were  
measured by their stature when  
standing in his shadow. Slander fell  
harmless before him, sham hung its  
head in shame, folly did not risk to  
look him in the face, corruption  
shrank from his presence, cowardice  
dared not show its quaking knees."

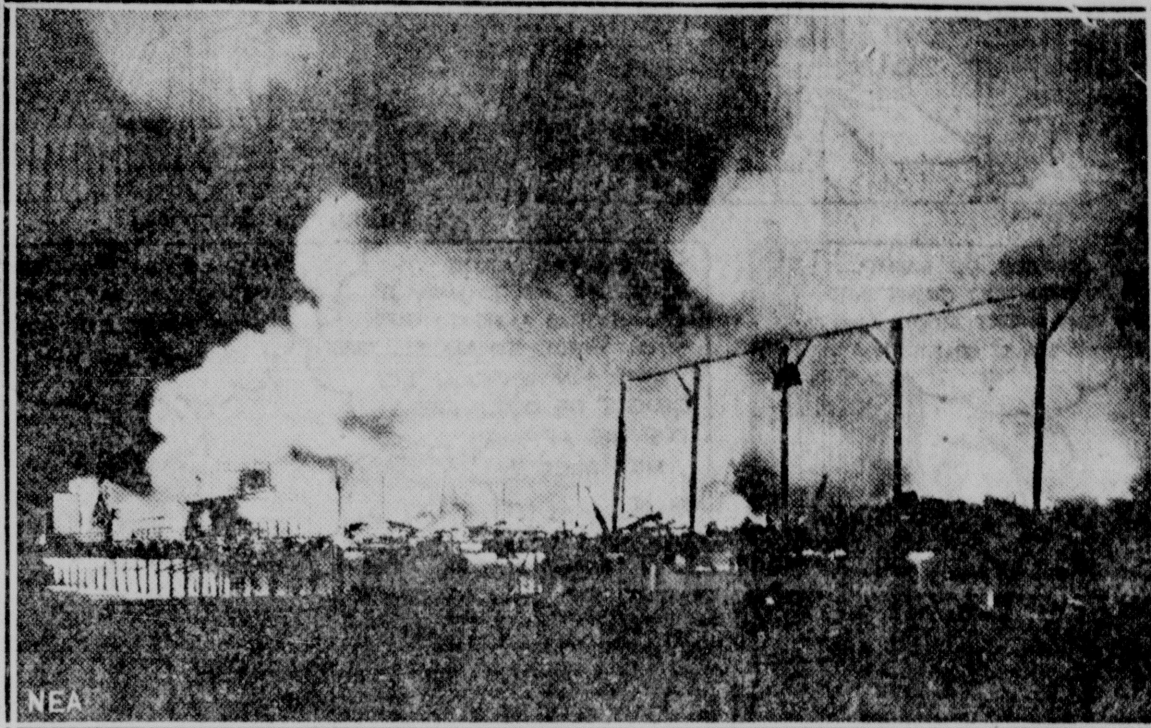
**Inspiration Needed**  
Mr. Hoover said that "what we  
have need of today in this celebra-  
tion is to renew in our people the  
inspiration that comes from George  
Washington as a founder of human  
liberty, as the father of a system of  
government, as the builder of a  
system of national life."

The President pointed to the na-  
tion's progress.

"Proudly we report to our fore-  
fathers," he said, "that the republic  
is more secure, more constant, more  
powerful, more truly great than at  
any other time in its history."

The descriptions of George  
Washington by his contemporaries  
give us no clear picture of the in-  
ner man, the Washington whose  
spiritual force so palpably domi-  
nated his whole epoch. As a mirror,  
in his own writings do him indifferent  
justice, whilst the writing of others  
are clouded by their awe or are ob-  
scured by their venom. We must  
deduce mainly from other records  
why he stood out head and shoulders  
above all the crowd around him. It  
was an extraordinary crowd living at  
white heat comprising men as var-  
ied, as brilliant, as versatile as the

## When Flames Danced at Famous Amusement Pier



The spectacular blaze that lighted up the Atlantic City, N. J., Boardwalk while famous Steeplechase Amusement Pier burned is vividly shown in this night photo. Though firemen fought to check the flames, the one-story wooden building—nationally known for two generations—was almost completely destroyed at an estimated loss of \$500,000.

## Gobs of Bad Luck!



They go down to the sea in ships—but not in airships. For the daring attempt of these two A. W. O. L. sailors from the cruiser Louisville to fly across the Atlantic in a second-hand airplane almost ended in disaster. Neither Frank Cushing (left) of Seattle, Wash., nor Andrew Soos (right) of Fairfield, Conn., was a certified pilot. Their heavily laden monoplane careened crazily and smashed a landing wheel in their secret take-off from Floyd Bennett Field, New York. Probable court martial awaited the two sailors, whose venture had been partially financed by ship-mates.

extraordinary demands which the  
times made upon them. They were  
men flexible in intellect, and versed  
in the ways of the world. Yet in  
every crisis, and for every role,  
they turned to Washington. They  
forced upon him the command of  
Indian fights; they made him a  
general against trained British  
troops; they demanded that he be a  
constitutionalist and a national  
statesman; they insisted he must  
guide his country through the skill-  
ful ambushes of European kings;

to Washington because he had more  
character, a finer character, a purer  
character, than any other man of  
his time. In all the shifting pres-  
sures of his generation, all men  
acknowledge that the one irresist-  
ible force was the overwhelming im-  
pact of his moral power. Motives  
and men were measured by their  
stature when standing in his  
shadow. Slander fell harmless be-  
fore him, sham hung its head in  
shame, folly did not risk to look  
him in the face, corruption shrank  
from his presence, cowardice dared  
not show its quaking knees.

In his integrity, all our men of  
genius in his day found their one  
sure center of agreement. In his  
wisdom and authority they found  
the one sure way to practical fulfill-  
ment of their dreams.

"We need no attempt at canoniza-  
tion of George Washington. We  
know he was human, subject to the  
discouragements and perplexities  
that come to us all. We know that  
he had moments of deepest anxiety.  
We know of his sufferings, and the  
sacrifices and anguish that came to  
him. We know of his resentment of  
injustice and misrepresentation. And  
yet we know that he never lost  
faith in our people.

"Nor have I much patience with  
those who undertake the irrational  
humiliation of Washington. He  
had, indeed, the fine qualities of  
friendliness, of sociableness, of hu-  
manity of simple hospitality, but  
we have no need to lower our vision  
from his unique qualities of great-  
ness, or to seek to depreciate the un-  
paralleled accomplishments of the  
man who dominated and gave birth  
to the being of a great nation.

**Founder of Liberty**  
"What we have need of today in  
this celebration is to renew in our  
people the inspiration that comes  
from George Washington as a  
founder of human liberty, as the  
father of a system of government, as  
the builder of a system of national  
life.

"It is of primary importance that  
we of today shall renew that spark  
of immortal purpose which burned  
within him, shall know of the resolu-  
tion and the steadfastness which  
carried him forward to the estab-  
lishment of a nation. That estab-  
lishment was not a momentary  
flash of impulse, in a people rebel-  
lious and passionate under oppres-

they summoned him to establish the  
nonexistent credit of an insolvent  
infant nation. Why did his bril-  
liant fellow-patriots always thus  
turn to him?

**Answer Unmistakable**

"The answer of history is unmis-  
takable; they brought their problems

## Jesuit Priests Ordered Out of Spain



Spain's new revolutionist government had spoken—the Jesuits must go! And pictured here is the scene, highly significant in the world's history, as black-robed members of the centuries-old Catholic order were expelled from their native land. Under the eyes of a Spanish army officer, two of the priests are seen carrying their belongings in a clothes basket across the frontier into France. The order had exerted powerful influence upon Spanish affairs since the Sixteenth Century.

sion, destined to fade into the chaos  
so often born of revolutions. On the  
contrary, it was built upon founda-  
tions of principles and ideals which  
have given the power and strength  
that made this nation and inspired  
the establishment of ordered liberty  
in a score of other nations.

"We have need to refresh to the  
remembrance of the American peo-  
ple the great tests and trials of  
character of the men who founded  
our republic. We have need to re-  
member the fiber of those men who  
brought to successful conclusion  
the eight years of revolution. We  
have need again to bring forth the  
picture of the glories and the valor  
of Lexington and Concord, of Bun-  
ker Hill, the suffering and fortitude  
of Valley Forge, the victory of York-  
town. We have need to revive the  
meaning and the sheer moral courage  
of the Declaration of Independ-  
ence, the struggles of the Continen-  
tal Congress, the forming of the  
Constitution. We have need at all  
times to review the early crisis of  
the republic, the consolation of the  
union, the establishment of nation-  
al solidarity, the building of an ad-  
ministration of government, and the  
development of guarantees of free-  
dom. No incident and no part in  
these great events, which have echoed  
and re-echoed throughout the  
world for a century and a half, can  
be separated from the name and the  
dominant leadership of George  
Washington.

**New System of Life**  
"Upon these foundations of di-  
vine inspiration laid by our forefa-  
thers, and led by Washington, our  
nation has built up during this  
century and a half a new system of  
life, a system unique to the Ameri-  
can people. It is hallowed by the  
sacrifice and glorious valor of men.  
It is assured by a glorious charter of  
human rights.

"It comprises a political system of  
self-government by the majority,  
resting upon the duties of individual  
men to the community, and of the  
local communities to the nation.  
It is a government designed in spirit  
to sustain a dual purpose to protect  
our people among nations by great  
national power, and to preserve in-  
dividual freedom by local self-gov-  
ernment.

"It comprises a social system free  
of inherited position, based upon the  
ideal of equality of all men be-  
fore the law, the equal privilege of  
men to strive and to achieve, and  
the responsibilities of men to their  
neighbors.

"It embraces an economic system  
based upon the largest degree of  
freedom and stimulation to initia-  
tive and enterprise which can be  
permitted and still maintain the  
ideal of equality of opportunity  
among men.

"Finally it embraces a system of  
relationships to other nations based  
upon no thought of imperialism, no  
desire to dominate, a determined  
national self-reliance in defense  
and independence in action; free-  
dom from all commitment to the  
unknown future, and an aspiration  
to promote peace and good will  
among all men.

"Perhaps no single part of this  
system is different from some in-  
stance in history or in some other  
part of the world. But in its com-  
posite form it is distinctly unique  
and distinctly American, a system  
under which we have reached an  
assured position among the most  
powerful of the nations of the world

**D'pendent Upon Trust**  
"Our American system of national

life is dependent upon the trust in  
the principles of government as es-  
tablished by George Washington; a  
trust in his example to our people;  
a trust in and devotion to religious  
faith, which he himself so devoutly  
practiced a trust in that divine in-  
spiration which he so sedulously in-  
voked and which is expressed in the  
common mind of our people; and  
above all a trust in the divine pro-  
vidence which has always given  
guidance to our country.

"From Washington's spirit there  
has grown an infusion of social  
ideals with the quality of magnani-  
mity; upholding prosperity with  
generosity, dignity with forbearance,  
security with privilege, which has  
raised our institutions to a level of  
humanity and nobility nowhere else  
attained.

"We have the faith that Wash-  
ington expressed, that a hundred  
years hence our countrymen will  
again celebrate his birth will review  
the memory of his service with no  
less sincere admiration and grate-  
tude than we now commemorate it,  
and that they too will see, as we  
now see, 'The flag of the Union  
floating on top of the Capitol.'

**Nations' Memorial**  
"From the room where I conduct  
my high office I hourly see the  
monument which Washington's  
proud and grateful countrymen  
have raised to his memory. It  
stands foursquare to the world. Its  
base rooted steadfast in the solid  
substance of American soil. Its peak  
reaches towards the heavens with a  
matchless serenity and calm. Mas-  
sive in its proportions as was the  
character of Washington himself,  
overwhelming in its symmetry, sim-  
plicity, and sincerity, it most fit-  
tingly, beautifully, and nobly pro-  
claims the founder of our Common-  
wealth and our acceptance of his  
faith. Around that monument have  
grown steadily and surely the bene-  
volent and beneficent agencies of  
orderly government dedicated to  
the spirit of Washington.

"Beyond any other monument  
built by the hand of man out of  
clay and stone, this shaft is a  
thing of the spirit. Whether seen  
in darkness or in light, in bright-  
ness or in gloom, there is about it  
a mantle of pure radiance which  
gives it the aspect of eternal truth.  
It is a pledge in the sight of all  
mankind, given by Washington's  
countrymen, to carry forward the  
continuing fulfillment of his vision  
of America."

**PARIS CELEBRATION**  
Paris, Feb. 22.—(AP)—An address  
by Ambassador Walter E. Edge link-  
ing with Simon Bolivar, South  
American liberator, was read today  
at a luncheon at the American Em-  
bassy in honor of Washington's bi-  
centenary.

Although the Ambassador himself  
was on the high seas, he was repre-  
sented by Norman Armour, charge  
d'affaires, who delivered the address  
and acted as host to the Latin-  
American and Canadian diplomatic  
corps in accordance with custom on  
Washington's birthday.

"Year by year," the Ambassador's  
address said, "my colleagues of the  
western hemisphere, join in the  
commemoration of Washington's  
birthday."

The address linked Washington to

Bolivar and other heroes of Latin  
America thus:  
"The great liberators of our con-  
tinent, widely as they were separ-  
ated by time and distance, belonged  
by their common ideals not to one  
people alone but to the collectivity  
of American republics."

**NEW JUSTICE SPEAKS**  
Albany, N. Y., Feb. 22.—(AP)—  
Chief Judge Benjamin N. Cardozo,  
nominated to the Supreme Court,  
said at a Washington Bi-Centennial  
celebration here today that the  
"deathless heritage" of America was  
not the structure of government, but  
the "faith and purpose that inspired  
it, a faith and purpose symbolized  
and made incarnate" in the person  
of Washington.

"The heirs of a great tradition  
have gathered here today to pro-  
claim their reverent pride in the  
splendor of a deathless heritage,"  
said Judge Cardozo.

"Deathless the heritage is, for the  
values it embodies are values of the  
spirit."

"The supreme contribution that  
he (Washington) made can be sum-  
med up in a single word—he con-  
tributed his character."

"What is deathless in our heri-  
tage is the faith and purpose that  
inspired it, a faith and purpose sym-  
bolized and made incarnate in the  
person of a man. x x x Here is an  
imperishable gift, this great ef-  
fugent figure standing far away at  
the daybreak of our history. x x x  
he so lived and wrought as to  
breathe into his country the soul  
that was his own."

"May we keep it undefiled  
through all the years to come."

## NEWS CHURCHES

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES

The Bible School attendance  
dropped below the previous Sunday  
on account of much sickness.  
Counting four who attended else-  
where, the attendance was 222. The  
Loyal Men had 30 and the Pri-Lo-  
Ha class, 33.

The annual Fathers and Sons  
banquet will be held at the church  
tonight. The orchestra will give a  
concert at 6:00 in the auditorium  
and the men and boys will march  
to the tables in the basement at  
6:30, where the Upstreamers Class  
will serve the banquet. A very in-  
teresting program has been plann-  
ed. Pres. C. L. Lyon of Eureka  
College will be the speaker of the  
evening.

The executive committee of the  
Women's Missionary Society has  
adjourned its meeting to Friday at  
2:30 on account of the funeral of  
Sister Self.

The union prayer meeting will  
be held Wednesday evening at 7:30  
in the Bithel E. Church.

Mrs. A. S. Derr drove to Litch-  
field Friday taking with her Miss  
Nadine Padgett, Miss Lucille Rhoads  
and Miss Joyce Newcomb as dele-  
gates to the World Fellowship  
meeting of Missionary Circles and Tri-  
angles, returning Sunday evening.  
We rejoice to learn that Miss Na-  
dine Padgett was chosen chairman  
of the Illinois conference for the  
coming year.

The church is much saddened by  
the death of Sister Nancy Self,  
who passed to her reward Monday  
morning. The funeral will be held  
in the church Wednesday afternoon  
at 2:00. Sister Self has been a very  
faithful member and worker for  
many years and she will be missed  
by the church.

## Springfield Jail Break Was Foiled

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 22.—(UP)—  
Federal investigation of an attempt-  
ed jailbreak of three federal prison-  
ers at the Springfield city prison was  
planned today. The prisoners were  
caught in the prison building Satur-  
day night after they had succeeded  
in sawing their way out of cells.

The prisoners were Earl Pumphrey,  
Kokomo, Ind.; Robert Langenbach,  
Peoria; and Charles Munroe, Decatur,  
all government prisoners charged  
with violation of the Dyer act which  
prohibits transportation of stolen au-  
tomobiles from one state to another.  
A search of the cells occupied by  
all federal prisoners followed the dis-  
covery of the attempted break and  
authorities found numerous knives  
and pieces of iron in the various cells.

Use Healo, the best Foot Powder  
on the market. Carried by druggists  
everywhere.

## L. & G. SPECIALS

Fresh Country Eggs, 2 dozen	25c
Creamery Butter, lb.	24c
Longhorn Cheese	Fancy Wisconsin Lb. 17 1/2c
Armour's Bacon	Fancy Sugar Cured Lb. 15c
Greening Apples, bu.	75c
Grimes Golden Apples, bu.	\$1.25
Minkler Apples, bu.	\$1.00
Stark's Delicious Apples, bu.	\$1.35
Florida Grapefruit, peck	35c
Hills Bros. Coffee, 2 lbs.	75c

## L. & G. FEED CO.

313 W. First St. "BEST FOR LESS" Tel. 273

## THE OLD COUNSELLOR'S COLUMN

### The Public Utilities in 1931

The special merits of public utility  
bonds are well justified by the  
brilliant record established by many  
of the utilities throughout this long  
period of worldwide depression.  
The stability of the electric power  
and light industry has been the  
most striking of all, when you con-  
sider that in 1931 most of the other  
basic industries suffered drastic,  
though probably temporary, declines  
from 1930.

Pig iron production, for example,  
was off nearly 42 per cent. Steel  
output declined over 37 per cent.  
The production of automobiles and  
trucks declined 29.3 per cent, and  
freight car loadings were down 18.8  
per cent from their 1930 levels. The  
output of electrical energy in the  
United States for the entire year  
1931, however, showed a decline of  
about four per cent from the 1930  
figure, and was actually above that  
of the prosperous year of 1928. This  
contrast is striking evidence of the  
ability of the power and light com-  
panies to withstand adverse condi-  
tions.

Reports from 167 different  
manufactured gas companies for the  
first eleven months of 1931 show a  
decrease of only 2.6 per cent in  
sales from the corresponding period  
in 1930. Here, as in the power and  
light industry, stability of output  
has been well maintained.

Let me give you some other in-  
teresting facts about the power and  
light companies. Their accomplish-  
ments in 1931 led the Federal Power  
Commission recently to report that  
"no other industry has exhibited a  
like resistance to the general eco-  
nomic influence of this period."

In the past year, light and power  
companies secured over 100,000 new  
customers. The domestic use of elec-  
tricity, in homes and on farms, in-  
creased eight per cent over the pre-  
vious year and reached a high point  
for all time. The average domestic  
user in 1931 consumed 5 1/2 per cent  
more current than he did in 1930  
and the 1931 increase of one bil-  
lion kilowatt hours in domestic use  
represented an annual growth ex-  
ceeded only twice before in the  
whole history of the industry.

The strength of the utilities from  
an earnings standpoint is even more  
remarkable than the steady trend  
of their sales. The gross earnings  
of all electric power and light com-  
panies in the country for 1931 were  
barely one per cent below those of  
1930. In a great many individual  
companies, there was an actual in-  
crease in net earnings last year. In  
spite of a slight decline in gross  
earnings. This has also been true  
of many gas companies. One such  
recently reporting, showed an in-  
crease of four per cent in net earn-  
ings in 1931 in the face of a ten  
per cent decline in its gross reve-  
nues. These accomplishments were  
made possible through economies  
which reflect the efficiency and abili-  
ty of the management of such cor-  
porations.

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## EXTRA SPECIAL

TUESDAY ONLY --- DON'T MISS IT!

STRICTLY FRESH COUNTRY EGGS, 2 dozen 25c  
8 LBS. OF BANANAS 25c  
THOSE EXTRA LARGE ORANGES, dozen 39c

Let Us Fill Your Grocery Order.

## Plowman's Busy Store

## Buehler Bros. Inc.

Veal Chops 2	LBS.	28c
Pork Liver 3	LBS.	10c
SHORT STEAKS		17c lb
SUPERIOR MALT		31c
WISCONSIN BRICK CHEESE		15c lb
BONELESS VEAL STEW		15c lb
SPARE RIBS		8c lb







# CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS TELEGRAPH WANT ADS

No Advertising Counted Less than 25 Words

1 Time ..... 2c Per Word, \$ .50 Minimum  
3 Times ..... 3c Per Word, .75 Minimum  
6 Times ..... 5c Per Word, 1.25 Minimum  
12 Times, two Weeks. 9c Per Word, 2.25 Minimum  
26 Times, one Month. 15c Per Word, 3.75 Minimum

All Classified Ads must be accompanied by the money.  
There are no exceptions to this rule.

Card of Thanks ..... 75c Minimum  
(Additional line 10c line)  
Reading Notice in Society and City in Brief  
Column ..... 15c per line  
Reading Notices ..... 10c per line

NOTICE—All classified advertisement must be delivered to this office not later than 11 A. M. on day of publication.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Cheap. Small house and garage in West Dixon. Good sized lot for garden purposes. For further particulars call Mrs. H. U. Bardwell, 612 E. Second St., Phone 303. 11\*

FOR SALE—Buy Premium chicks. They live. Backed by livability guarantee. State accredited. Eggs and chicks treated for disease during incubation. Can furnish chicks now. Hatches out every Tuesday. Burman's Premium Chickens, Polo, Ill. 291f

FOR SALE—Baby chicks from inspected flocks. Custom hatching 2c per egg. Leghorns \$7.70 per 100; Barred and White Rocks, Reds, Orpingtons, Wyandottes, \$8.70 per 100. Special mating 1c per chick more. Assorted Heavy \$5.95; Assorted Light \$4.55. Open day and night. Phone 828. United States Hatcheries, Inc., Dixon, Ill. 301f

FOR SALE—72 acres of farm land in Lee County, located on gravelled road 1/2 mile from grain market and midway between two other markets. Paw Paw and Compton. Soil is rich black loam. Well tied. New woven wire fencing, new well and windmill. Priced very reasonable. Inquire of P. D. Merriman, DeKalb, Ill., or S. A. Wright, Paw Paw, Ill. 401\*

FOR SALE—Grade "A" chicks from accredited nine consecutive years. Custom hatching 2 and 2 1/2 Leghorns, \$7.95; Barred and White Rocks, Reds, Orpingtons, Wyandottes, \$8.95. Select mating 1c per chick more. Assorted heavy breeds \$6.45. Assorted light \$5.45. Tel. 64. Elisse's Hatchery, Ambloy, Ill. 401\*

FOR SALE—1927 Chevrolet Sedan; 1932 Harley & Davidson motorcycle \$250; 2 cheap Chevrolets; 15 Model A Ford heaters \$1.10 each. 1008 Ottawa Ave. Phone W1057. 4213\*

FOR SALE—Jamesway oil and coal brooder stoves and other poultry equipment. Phone 59111. Swartz Poultry Farm. 4313\*

FOR SALE—1930 Commander 8 Sedan  
1929 Commander 6 Sedan  
Model T Ford Coupe. Good tires. New battery. 4213\*

1928 4 Passenger Studebaker Roadster  
1928 Buick Sedan  
1928 7-Passenger Sedan  
Fordson Tractor  
E. D. COUNTRYMAN  
Studebaker Sales & Service  
Phone 340. 4213\*

FOR SALE—Red and Alsike Clover Seed. State tested. Ray Shaver, Polo, Phone 8W13. 4213\*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Dodge 1 1/2 ton truck on pleasure car. 312 Central Place, Phone R780. 4213\*

FOR SALE OR RENT—Improved 80-acre farm, located on hard road. Address, "J. J." by letter care this office. 4213\*

FOR SALE—Used brooder stove, \$5 up. Brooder house 14x24. Phone 59111. Swartz Poultry Farm. 4313\*

FOR SALE—Electric washing machine and elect. sweeper. Inquire at 1011 W. Eighth St. 4413\*

FOR SALE—Herd of Brown Swiss cattle. H. B. tested and record milk producers. T. C. Potts, Deer Grove, Ill. 4414\*

FOR SALE—40 fall pigs, 5 Spotted Poland China gilts. Will farrow in March. Paul Harms, Phone 13500. 4413

FOR SALE—Good sound work horse 9 years old, weighs 1500. Good velvet seed barley. Edward Mensch, Tel. 59130. 4413\*

FOR SALE—Studebaker Commander 4-door sedan, good tires, new battery, excellent condition, \$395. P. L. Reed, 110 W. Second St., Rock Falls, Ill. 4413\*

COMBINATION SALE, Saturday, Feb. 27 at Ben Baus Feed Barn. Horses, Cows, Hogs, Sheep, Farm Machinery. List your property early. 4414

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished sleeping rooms. Modern, close in. Tel. R443 or 421 E. First St. 1691\*

FOR RENT—A very pleasant room. Modern. Good location. 612 E. Second St. 11\*

FOR RENT—Small 5 room house, electric lights, \$10.00 month. Inquire 312 Central Place or Phone R780. 4213\*

FOR RENT—By day or week, furnished room, modern, close in. Board or housekeeping privilege if desired. Also apartment Mar. 1st. Phone L245. 310 Peoria Ave. 4216\*

FOR RENT—80 acre farm, close to market on hard road. Answer by letter W. L. L. care Telegraph. 4213

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room house. 812 W. Second St. Phone R295. 4313

FOR RENT—2-room modern apartment or 1 large front room and kitchenette, newly decorated; furnished sleeping room. 214 Madison Ave. Phone Y407. 4313\*

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## RADIO SERVICE

RADIO REPAIR SERVICE  
DIXON BATTERY SHOP  
Chester Barriage  
107 East First St.  
Phone 650, Y673, Y1151. 1301f

## WANTED

WANTED—The Telegraph subscribers to read the ads of Dixon merchants as they appear in this paper daily. It means great savings to you.

WANTED—House cleaning or any kind of house work or laundry work. Tel. B669. 2591\*

WANTED—Get DuVal's estimate on those hardwood floors and other carpenter work you were thinking of doing. Phone 5327. 3612\*

## LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

### NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

State of Illinois, Lee County—ss.

To Charles W. Gibbs, Mary Patterson, and the unknown heirs of George Gibbs, who is deceased, heirs at law and legatees, of Ellen Hyde, deceased, late of Lee County, Illinois.

You are hereby notified that application has been made to the County Clerk of said county for the probate of the will of Ellen Hyde, deceased, and that the hearing of the proof of said will has been set by said court for the 29th day of February, A. D. 1932, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House in Dixon in said county, when and where you can appear, if you see fit, and show cause, if any you have, why said will should not be admitted to probate.

FRED G. DIMICK,  
County Clerk.

February 6th, 1932. Feb. 8, 15, 22

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS.

In the Matter of Harm Brothers, Bankrupt.

In Bankruptcy, No. 2154.

Woodward, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Illinois, Western Division.

The petition of Harm Brothers, of the county of Lee, Northern District of Illinois, Western Division, respectfully represents:

That on the 4th day of August 1931, a petition in bankruptcy was duly surrendered to the petitioner praying that he be adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy, upon which said petition petitioner was duly adjudged bankrupt on the 4th day of August, 1931.

That petitioner has duly filed schedules, of all debts and assets, duly verified, all in accordance with the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy and the rules and practice of this court; that petitioner has been duly examined concerning his acts, conduct and property and such examination has been concluded; that your petitioner has duly surrendered all of his property and rights of property and has fully complied with all the requirements of the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy and of the orders of this court and Referee touching his bankruptcy; that petitioner has not been granted a discharge in bankruptcy within six years nor has your petitioner committed any of the acts or offenses specified in subdivision (b) of section 14 of the Bankruptcy Act, as amended, constituting grounds for the refusal of a discharge.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner prays that he may be declared by this court to have full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated November 10, 1931.

HARM BROTHERS, Bankrupt.

Sworn to before me this 10th day of November, 1931.

Bertha Stiel, Notary Public.

Order of Notice Thereon.

On this 16th day of November, A. D. 1931, on reading the foregoing petition.

Ordered by the Court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1932, before said court, at Freeport in said District, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Dixon Telegraph, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the same time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence, at stated.

WITNESS the Honorable Charles E. Woodward, Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, at Freeport, in said District, on the 16th day of November, A. D. 1931.

CHARLES M. BATES, Clerk.

W. N. Tice, Deputy Clerk. 11

(SEAL)

Father Of Train  
Baby Is Arrested

Galt, Ont., Feb. 22—(AP)—The father of a child born on a train as it traveled through Nevada last week was held today on a bank robbery charge. He is Harry G. Blundell.

Mrs. Blundell became a mother on a North-Western train as she and her husband were traveling eastward from the Pacific coast. When he stepped from the train here last night, Blundell was arrested.

Two salt mines in Ruthenia have been operated, continuously since 1804 and 1809, respectively.

Not Appendicitis—  
Gas Pains Fool Him

"I had such pain in my right side I thought I had appendicitis. But it was only gas. After taking Adlerika I've had no trouble."—W. L. Adams.

You can't get rid of gas doctored the stomach. For gas stays in the upper bowel. Adlerika reaches both upper and lower bowel, washing out poisons which cause gas, nervousness, bad sleep. Get Adlerika today; by tomorrow you feel the wonderful effect of this German doctor's remedy.—Thomas Sullivan, Druggist, in Franklin Grove by Geo. S. Ives, Druggist.—Adv.

AS GUEST  
Fairmont, W. Va.—(UP)—Harry Davidson entered the county jail here as a visitor. He was detained as a guest—against his will for 90 days. When guards searched him they reported finding a half pint of whiskey. He was fined \$100 in addition to the jail sentence.

VISITS JAIL—DETAINED  
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# POLITICAL TRUCE IN CONGRESS MAY END ANY MINUTE

## Democratic Speaker In A Threat To President Over Radio

Washington, Feb. 22—(AP)—The truce on politics, which has made possible the virtual completion in record time of the urgent legislation needed for the nation's economic recovery, is fading away and its end appears just around the corner.

A stinging declaration by Speaker Garner of the Democratic House last night charged President Hoover's administration with seeking to rob the Democrats of credit for their part in the achievement and with failing to extend the measure of cooperation given by the Democrats. It concluded with a warning, directed to the President, that "nobody can dictate to the Democratic group in Congress."

The session is at the half way mark; the national political campaigns are fast shaping up. In such a tense atmosphere the pent-up fires of partisanship are going to break over such issues as the tariff, the World Court, farm relief, federal aid for unemployment and government reorganization.

Little More Expected  
The all-important tax increase bill, nearing formation in the House Ways and Means committee, will give as possibly the lone piece of legislation to draw the two parties together again.

The vital credit expansion measure will go to the White House this week bearing the full endorsement of both parties. This bill, opening the doors of the Federal Reserve wider for the banks, is regarded on Capitol Hill as completing the major part of the emergency economic non-partisan program urged by President Hoover.

Now the parties are going to start out to make their records for the campaign, and with the Democrats in control of the House and Mr. Hoover holding a veto power at the White House little important legislation is in prospect.

Mr. Garner's statement, broadcast by the Democratic National Committee, accused the administration of playing politics with the bipartisan emergency program.

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 22—(AP)—Cowboys from the Rio Grande met here today with bankers, politicians and officials from upstate to boost John N. Garner for the Democratic presidential nomination.

Texas was making what some termed a belated proffer of a native son for the presidency. C. M. Chambers, mayor of San Antonio, and Harry P. Hornby, country newspaper publisher of Uvalde, Garner's home town, who planned an all-Texas rally for Garner soon after he had been elected Speaker of the House, felt their thunder had been stolen prematurely by William G. McAdoo, former member of the Cabinet of the late Woodrow Wilson and other leaders to boost the Texan for the presidency.

Governor R. S. Sterling was expected to be in attendance. George W. Saunders, president of the Texas Old Trail Drivers' Association, was designated marshal of the parade that will formally inaugurate Speaker Garner's presidential campaign.

SMITH MAY FILE O. K.  
New York, Feb. 22—(AP)—The New York Times said today that former Governor Alfred E. Smith has decided to give formal consent to his Massachusetts supporters to pledge themselves to him as candidates to become delegates to the Democratic National Convention, and that an announcement to that effect will be made this week.

This step, the Times said, was brought about by the Massachusetts election law, under which Smith is required to give his written consent—in a letter to the Secretary of State or to each candidate for delegate who wishes to run pledged to him.

It is expected, the article said, that he will file a blanket consent with the Secretary of State, and that Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt will adopt a similar course.

When he announced two weeks ago that he would accept the nomination for President if the Democratic National Convention should offer it to him, Smith said he would make no campaign for delegates.

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# The time-a-dance girl

BY JOAN CLAYTON

BEGIN HERE TODAY  
Beautiful ELLEN ROSSITER, a salesgirl in Barclay's Department Store, lives with her mother, MOLLY ROSSITER, her elder sister, MYRA, and her young brother, MIKE. Molly has a beautiful fortune left by their father and she serves the family. Molly foolishly spends money saved to pay the rent. Ellen decides to work nights at Dreamland as a hostess until the sum is made up. The hostesses must wear evening dresses and Ellen has none. STEVEN BARCLAY, 57 and her employer, lends her a dress. She forgets his kindness when she goes to Dreamland. LARRY HARRINGTON, an artist, later Ellen decides to marry him. LARRY is engaged to be married. Even though she thinks him a philanderer she continues to see him.

Myra and Molly openly favor Barclay. Ellen quarrels with her. Then Mrs. BONDY, a store gossip, spreads scandalous stories of Barclay's attentions to Ellen and she determines to see him no more. Molly telephones that a guest is coming to dinner, but does not supply the name of this guest. ARMISTEAD, her sister's fiance, is coming.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY  
CHAPTER XVI  
THAT evening as Ellen entered the shabby Brooklyn apartment house she felt a great peace stealing over her. The lobby was uncarpeted, the tiled floor was by no means clean, the treads of the stairs had been worn by many feet. As usual Mrs. Barclay popped open her door to see who had come in. Surely there was nothing visible here to induce happiness but the girl felt an odd lift of spirit. This was home. She had left the store behind. For 12 hours she need not think of it. She had stepped out of the ugly and complicated life she led there to return to a life of her own.

She was tired and she was coming home. She was glad even that she was not that night to see Larry Harrington. Tonight she wanted only Myra and her mother and baby Mike with loyal, stolid Bert serving as a comfortable background.

A leisurely supper, afterwards a bath and maybe a shampoo if she felt like it—a delightful way to spend an evening, thought Ellen.

She reached the fifth floor, unlocked the door and stepped into the Rossiter living room. She stopped at the threshold, gasped. What had happened to that beloved, familiar room? Since morning it had changed startlingly, miraculously. Everything about it had been gone.

The worn carpet was gone and was covered now with summer scatter rugs. The familiar contour of the furniture was lost beneath smart slip covers in gray and orange. Curtains of the same gray and orange material fluttered at the windows. New pewter ash trays twinkled from the mantel cleared for once of Mike's school books. A new bridge lamp bloomed beside the easy chair. Everywhere were flowers.

What happened? As she ran into the dining room Ellen thought confusedly that perhaps her English grandfather had died and remem-

bered this in his will. Perhaps the dreams that colored her childhood had at last come true.

In the dining room a colored maid, polished heavy silver finger bowls. The table, decked in new linen, flaunted a centerpiece made of Steven Barclay's roses, tall and splendid in a silver vase. New rugs and curtains here, too. The maid glanced at Ellen, exposed white teeth.

"What are you doing here?" the girl demanded in astonishment. "I wuk here."

Ellen dashed into the kitchen. The kitchen was not changed. Molly turned around from the stove and smiled at her.

"Were you surprised, honey?" she asked in a gale of merriment and high spirits.

"What in the world has happened anyhow?"

"We're giving you your chance—that's what's happened," Molly crowed. "I'd never have known how to manage but Mrs. Barclay told me how to borrow money on the insurance. I've had the most exhausting day. It took a long time to get the money and since then I've spun like a top."

"Have we both gone crazy? What are you talking about?"

"You'll see," Molly was convulsed with mysterious laughter. From downstairs the doorbell rang imperatively. Ellen in a confused daze answered its summons.

"Go and see who it is," Molly commanded mysteriously.

As she ran back through the dining room Ellen noticed that the painting of her grandfather, which had been stored since her father's death, was in place on the wall. She reached the outer door and jerked it open.

Coming up the stairs was Steven Barclay.

"I'm afraid I'm early," were Barclay's first words. "Your mother said seven."

Ellen as she stood, shabby and beautiful, in the doorway suddenly understood everything. By "her chance" Molly had meant Steven Barclay. It was not the time—though her mother, to do her justice, could not have known that—to invite Steven Barclay as a guest. It was indeed not the place into which to introduce a millionaire.

The makeshifts, so delightful to Molly, did not improve the down-at-heel apartment; they succeeded only in emphasizing the essential poverty of its occupants. But hospitality, deep rooted and instinctive, triumphed over lesser considerations in Ellen's mind.

Ellen stepped into the hall to greet her unwelcome visitor so warmly that he should never guess that he was not a welcome one. He was leaning against the balustrade exhausted by the long climb. His face was so white that for a moment Ellen feared he would faint. She had enough understanding not to

mention his palpable weariness; enough understanding to keep silent until he made a gallant recovery. "It's good of you to come," she said at last, extending her slender brown hands.

Seeing him rally his forces for a reply, she had a sudden flashing memory of Larry leaping up the stairs and shouting breathless and foolish nonsense.

"I'm glad you think so," Barclay said.

Ellen noticed then, hesitating on the landing, a uniformed chauffeur laden with florist boxes, three of them. As he caught his employer's eye he came forward.

"Oh, you shouldn't have," Ellen exclaimed helplessly. "We've so many roses now—"

She toppled suddenly.

"Yes, I know I shouldn't have," Barclay agreed. "But you've no idea how I enjoyed myself. There's a box for each of you—for your sister and your mother and the pink roses are for you."

And then they entered the living room and Molly fluttered in from the kitchen and began exclaiming over the boxes; and recklessly tearing them open until the room was a carnival of color. There was a smudge of floor on her pretty, tilted nose but she was far too excited to be conscious of her appearance.

"I feel as though I don't need an introduction to you at all," she bubbled, shaking hands with the guest. "Ellen has told us so much about you."

Molly's eyes and her daughter's flashed together. Ellen did not know what to do; she felt completely helpless. What could she say? There was no denying that Barclay seemed pleased.

"Well," he was saying, "I hope they were all nice things."

"Of course they were," Ellen replied a shade stiffly.

"Darling, could you get vases for the flowers?" Molly interposed, tossing aside layers of silky paper and filling her arms with sweet, purple lilies.

Ellen concealed her reluctance at leaving her mother and her employer together and left the room. When she returned she found Molly, her lap overflowing with flowers, chattering like mad to Barclay. She was talking about the English Rossiters, "direct connections of ours, you know," Ellen understood now the reason for the portrait in the dining room. She was both annoyed and amused at her mother's childish vanity.

Although Steven was interested, Ellen was exceedingly cross. She relieved Molly of the fragrant burden and arranged the lilies, the creamy camellias and the pink roses in the already crowded room. What would Steven Barclay think of them? Surely he could see that her mother was trying to impress him; surely he could guess the reason. Steven was too young to know that Steven was thinking nothing of the

day despite the holiday to rush the bills into the mail.



## BEND NEWS

## MRS. S. A. BENNETT

Bend—Mr. and Mrs. John Hetler were callers at the home of Mrs. Hetler's father, George Remmers of Oak Ridge Sunday.

Charles Rosbrook hauled a load of hogs to Chicago for Everett Reese Sunday night.

Andrew Wohrley was brought home from the Dixon hospital Friday.

Some of the farmers from here attended another of the fine lectures at the Dixon high school Monday evening.

Miss Gladys Rosbrook spent Monday evening in the Leon Brooks home.

Mrs. Everett Reese spent the week end with her mother Mrs. J. P. McPherson of the river road near Grand Detour.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hetherington were callers at the S. A. Bennett home Friday.

Several from here attended the cattle sale Tuesday at the Bellows farm in Palmyra.

George Rosbrook trucked his hogs to Chicago Monday evening.

Kenneth Bennett spent Sunday night with Eugene Brooks of Grand Detour.

It must be near spring as three young ladies of the neighborhood went for a hike in the woods Sunday.

George Rosbrook is moving to the Drew farm at Drew's corners in Palmyra.

Luther Heckman and Mr. Williams have been helping George Rosbrook do some hauling.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Brooks and son Warren spent Sunday at the Louis Beatty home in Dixon.

Ralph Lehman of Rock Island road is moving to the place vacated by George Rosbrook.

The farmers' cattle are going through the second tuberculin test this week.

Miss Josephine Kennedy was a caller at the George Rosbrook home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Spear of Rock Falls were callers at the S. A. Bennett home.

George Miller attended the horse sale at Browns, near Rock Falls Saturday.

Mrs. Ora Bock visited her sister, Mrs. S. A. Bennett Sunday.

Several from here attended the program at the Christian church at Grand Detour Sunday evening.

## POLO PERSONALS

## By KATHRYN KEAGY

Polo—The Community fire truck was summoned to the William Tyler farm, two miles northeast of Polo Saturday afternoon about 3 o'clock to extinguish a roof fire caused by a spark from a chimney. A hole of considerable size was burned but due to the quick response of the department the damage was much less than it otherwise would have been as it had gotten a good start toward a bad fire.

Chester Oyler submitted to a major operation at the Deaconess hospital in Freeport Saturday.

Mrs. James Mayborn is ill with pneumonia.

Miss Mildred Fager who teaches at Moline spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Fager.

Dr. and Mrs. C. P. Powell of Dixon were business callers Saturday afternoon.

Miss Lillian Travis of Oregon spent Saturday evening in the Paul Strite home.

Dr. L. M. Griffin was a professional caller in Freeport Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Roe will move this week to their farm north of Polo.

The Fred Lord Family will move into the Roe residence on East Mason St.

Sixty-five neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Eckerd and family had a farewell supper for them Friday evening at their home in Eagle Point.

They are moving to the farm northwest of Polo now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Good.

After a delicious scramble supper was enjoyed the remainder of the evening was spent in playing cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. G. Reiff and daughter Beatrice of Stanard came Thursday and are guests of Mrs. Reiff's mother, Mrs. Jennie Angle.

Mrs. John Holzhauser entertained the Missionary society of the Evangelical church Thursday afternoon. There were 21 members and four guests present. Mrs. S. G. Eberly gave the lesson study, the topic being "China." Mrs. C. L. Gaylor gave a paper on prayer.

The Women's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. R. Woodruff.

Frank Folk has opened a tailoring and repair shop over Galor & sons meat market.

A Rebekah school of instruction will be held in Polo Thursday, Feb. 25.

Mrs. Iva Crowell of Rockford will conduct the school. The afternoon session will begin at 2 o'clock. There will be a scramble supper at 6 o'clock and the evening session will begin at 7:30.

The annual Farm Frolic and Washington Birthday party will be held the opera house Monday evening. A scramble supper will be served at 6:30. The following program will be given:

Boys and Girls of the Farm—D. E. Warren.

Statesmanship as exemplified by Washington—Rev. Kammeyer.

Playlet—"It can't be done"—Unity Community Players.

The stately minuet and Virginia reel presented by high school pupils under direction of Miss Pauline Hedrick.

Grand march and dancing.

Mrs. Kathryn Shipman and Mrs. W. L. Reynolds gave a vocal duet and Mrs. B. H. Ungarst rendered rendered an instrumental selection.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grant entertained a company of friends at a scramble supper Saturday evening followed by 500.

A number of members of the American Legion Post and Auxiliary plan to attend the county meeting to be held at Oregon Monday evening.

## POILUS ATE INOCULATED

## RABBITS

Rochefort-Sur-Mer, France — (UP)—Police closed all the butcher shops here when thieves stole two rabbits from the municipal experimental laboratory after the animals had been inoculated with cancer and tuberculosis serum. Three soldiers finally admitted the theft and declared they had eaten the rabbits.

## The Funniest Sayings of ABE MARTIN

As Selected By George Ade



There seems to be an excess of everything 'cept parkin' space and religion. If Washington never told a lie he must have been mighty non-committal.

## Chinese Abandon Babies In Flight



Fleeing in panic before the invading Japanese marines, thousands of Chinese residents in the Shanghai district took to the roads with all their household goods, as shown in the above telephoto picture direct from the war zone. Girl babies were abandoned in the desperate flight, Chinese setting little value on any but male babies. Hordes suffered from starvation and freezing temperatures as they stampeded into the back country districts. Scene above is on one of the main thoroughfares leading toward relatively peaceful Sungkiangfu.

## Around Court House

## IN COUNTY COURT

Est. Mary Blum, Report of Distribution approved.

Est. Frances Barth Pfeiffer, Feb. 5, Final report filed. Hearing set for Feb. 23, 1932.

Est. A. Clinton Warner, Feb. 5, Report approved.

Est. Myra O. Warner, Feb. 5, Final report approved. Estate settled. Administrators discharged.

Est. Joseph G. Long, Feb. 6, Receipt filed.

Est. John F. Hook, Feb. 6, Petition to reopen estate.

Est. Ellen Hyde, Feb. 6, Petition for leave of court to amend petition for probate of Last Will and Testament.

Est. Mary C. Gorton, Feb. 8, E. B. Raymond, William G. Ford and W. Wooley appointed appraisers. Claim day set for 1st Monday in April, 1932.

Est. Julia E. Myers, Feb. 8, Petition filed.

Conservatorship of Alpheus Beal, Feb. 8, Petition filed.

Est. Clarence A. Heckman, Feb. 9, Petition filed.

Est. Mary C. Gorton, Feb. 10, Appraisement bill approved.

Est. Clarence A. Heckman, Feb. 10, claim allowed.

Est. Isabel Richardson, Feb. 10, Affidavit of publication and posting approved. Certificate of publication approved.

Est. Henry B. Utley, Feb. 11, Claim allowed.

Est. Carrie E. Straw, Feb. 11, Petition for partial distribution.

Est. Mary C. Gorton, Feb. 11, Child's selection approved.

Est. Henry R. Mannen, Feb. 11, Petition for probate of Will and Letters testamentary filed. Hearing set for March 7, 1932.

Est. Emil P. Boehme, Feb. 31, Petition for Letters of Administration filed. Albert Ruggles appointed administrator. Oath filed.

In re Petition of City of Dixon for Special Assessment under Local Improvement Ordinance No. 258, Series of 1931. Feb. 15, Certificate of publication approved. Hearing on petition.

Est. Emil P. Boehme, Feb. 15, Bond approved.

Est. Henry R. Mannen, Feb. 15, Proof of heirship take nin open court.

Est. Clarence A. Heckman, Feb. 15, Sale Bill approved. Certificate of publication approved.

Est. Mary Sharkey, Feb. 15, Proof of posting notices of adjustment of claims approved. Certificate of publication approved.

Est. George M. Mong, Feb. 15, Affidavit of posting notices to credit.

## Picture of Actual Fighting in Shanghai



Japanese Marines behind a sand-bag barricade in the street at Shanghai. The Oleon Theater is shown on other side of the street, still burning from fire started by bomb dropped by Japanese planes.

Conservatorship George M. Mong, Feb. 15, Conservator's final report approved.

Est. Frances Barth Pfeiffer, Feb. 15, Certificate of publication approved.

Est. Cynthia McErn, Feb. 17, Petition for Letters of Administration filed. Proof of heirship taken in open court. Fannie Walter appointed administratrix. Oath filed.

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